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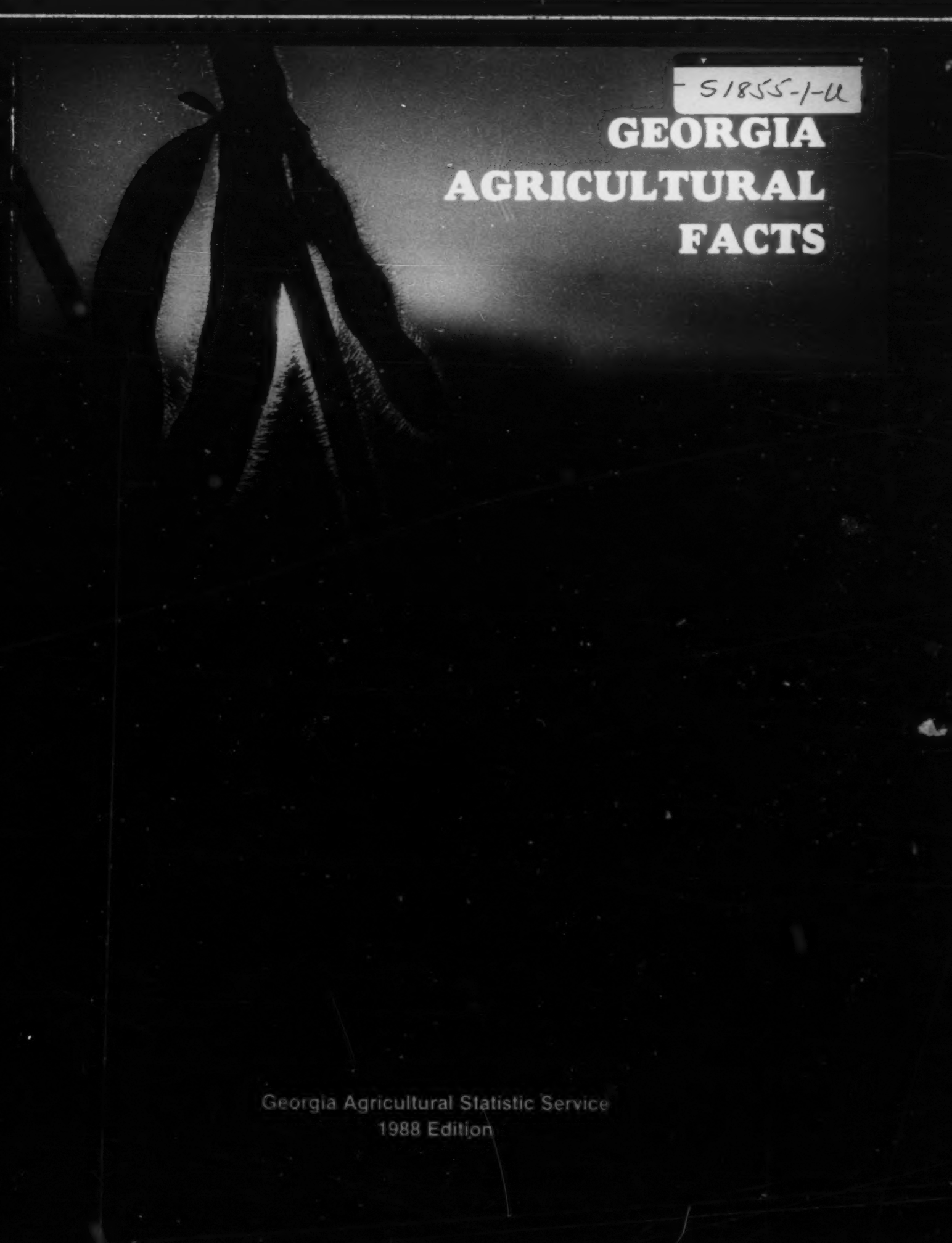

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Soybeans continue to be a popular crop in Georgia. This is evidenced by the fact that soybeans are planted on more acreage than any other crop in the state. The expanded use of soybeans for both human and livestock consumption has increased the demand for this commodity. This increased demand, combined with the crop's tolerance to drought and ability to fit well in a double cropping system, make soybeans an attractive crop alternative to Georgia farmers.(Cover courtesy of the Georgia Agricultural Commodity Commission for Soybeans. Photo courtesy of the American Soybean Association.)

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MESSAGE FROM THE COMMISSIONER

Dear Fellow Georgians:

We are living in an information-oriented society, particularly in agriculture. Crop farmers, poultry and livestock producers, forest farmers and others involved in agricultural-related fields, depend more and more on accurate statistical information to evaluate the past and make sound decisions about the future. I would like to commend the efforts of the National Agricultural Statistics Service for providing this information for the past 125 years and for working so closely with the Georgia office in accomplishing this mission.

Georgia Agricultural Facts is designed to help farmers and agribusiness professionals, as well as journalists, students, teachers, economists, public officials and other decision-makers who rely on accurate agricultural data. The information included in this reference guide documents our State's agricultural heritage and ongoing progress.

Last year, the Nation became more aware of issues facing our farmers as the United States experienced one of the most devastating droughts in the past 50 years. Despite this natural disaster, the enclosed figures attest that Georgia farmers remained productive and our agricultural economy, though not at its strongest, remained viable.

Published by the Georgia Department of Agriculture under a cooperative agreement with the National Agricultural Statistics Service and the United States Department of Agriculture, **Georgia Agricultural Facts** is dedicated to the continued growth and success of the State's vital agricultural industry and to the farmers who sustain us with their labors and continue to inspire us with their perserverance.

Sincerely,

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FOREWORD

This year marks the 125th anniversary of the National Agricultural Statistics Service. To our Agency, this is more than an anniversary--it's a celebration of the spirit of cooperation between us, the Nation's farmers, and the many organizations which work together to produce agricultural statistics.

Since the first crop report was released in 1863 many milestones have occurred. A few of the major ones are illustrated below.

1863—USDA Division of Statistics established as predecessor of today's NASS.

1866—Beginning of continuous series of reports on major crops, livestock and prices. Georgia records are available for major commodities back to 1866.

1882—Part-time State statistical agents appointed. They developed a corps of voluntary crop reporters for reporting agricultural conditions.

1896—Opening of rural free delivery mail service paved way for speedier reports from farmers and township correspondents.

1909—Congress specifies which crops will be covered in crop report, stipulates issuance times, and requires Secretary of Agriculture to sign report. Statisticians, staff, and other workers prohibited by law from making premature disclosure of crop estimates, issuing false reports or speculating on commodity market.

1919—Georgia signs formal agreement establishing cooperative Federal-State estimating program to bring together the Federal and State systems into one unified service.

1919—Beginning of annual poultry surveys.

1926—Beginning of quarterly estimates of farm stocks of grain.

1944—Master area sample of agriculture drawn to develop first probability acreage surveys.

1952—Congress appropriates funds for research to develop and improve statistical techniques.

1954—Area frame sampling and objective yield measurements began on research basis.

1962—Agency begins use of computers.

1972—Agency selected as principal investigator to develop uses of satellite data to improve crop acreage estimates.

1985—Additional confidentiality protection for respondent information provided by Farm Security Act of 1985.

1986—Georgia was one of first states to begin using computer assisted telephone interviewing techniques.

Georgia has played an important role in developing the farmers' national resource center. Major commodity data series for Georgia are available back to 1866. County level information is available back to a few years after the first cooperative agreement was signed in 1919. Requests and even demands for information continue to increase each year. Through the spirit of cooperation, together we can meet the future information needs of our greatest industry--Agriculture.

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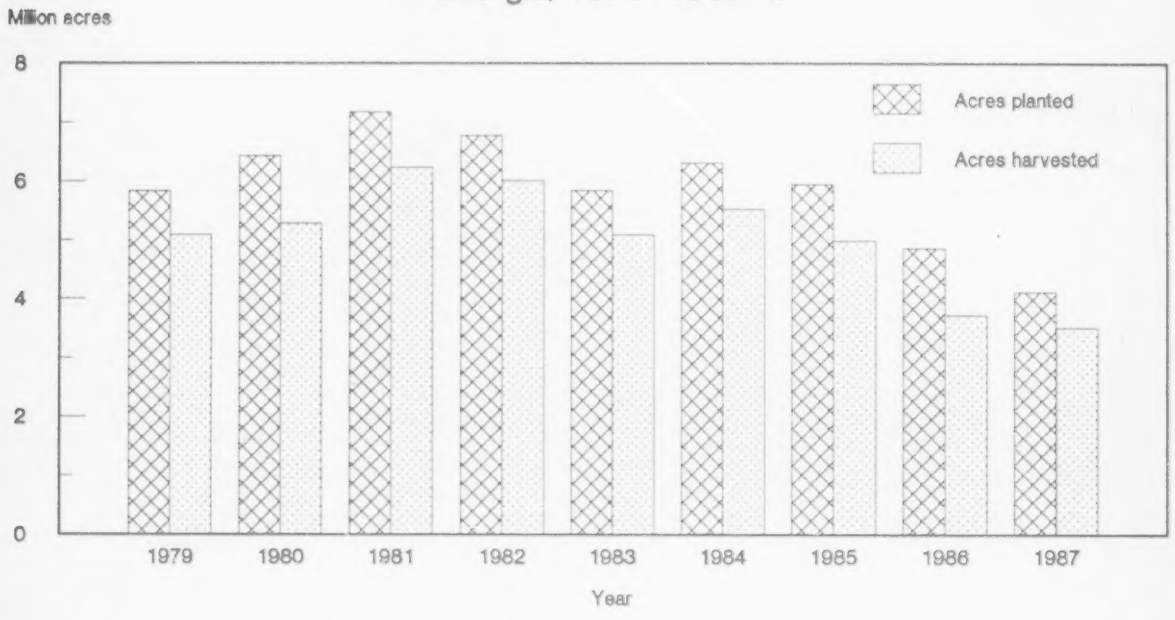

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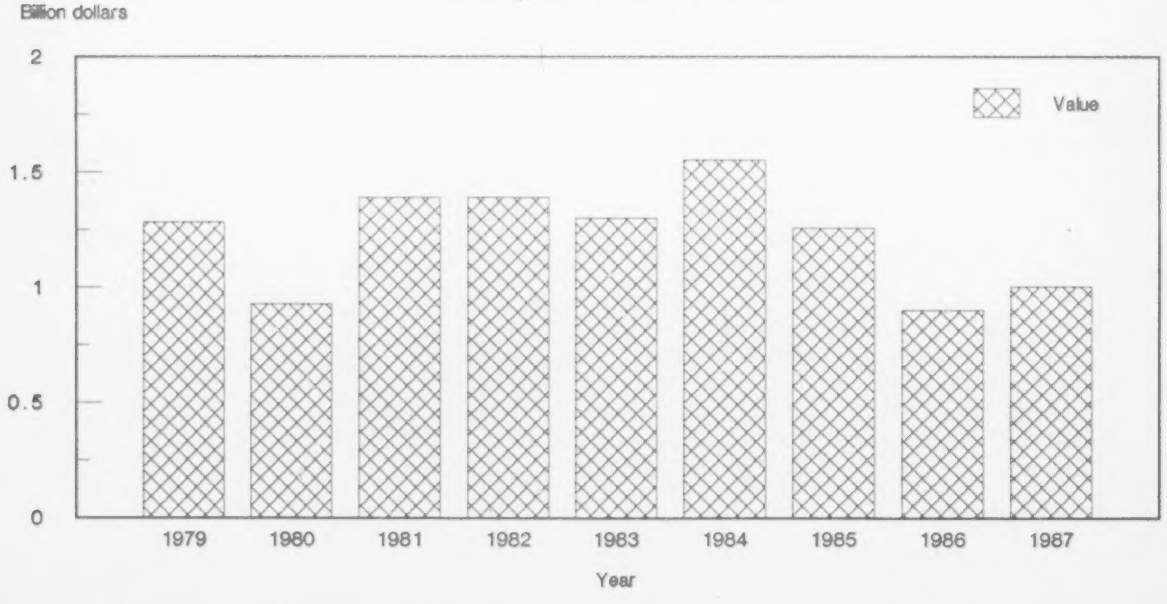

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FIELD CROPS

HIGHLIGHTS—1987 CROP YEAR

Georgia's 1987 crops encountered widely varying growing conditions and weather patterns throughout the year. Seeding of early spring crops was delayed by cool temperatures and wet weather. April turned very dry allowing farmers to catch up with spring planting. Dry weather continued through mid-May and planting was suspended in many areas due to dry soils. Cotton and peanut planting fell behind average progress. Showers resumed during the latter part of May and planting moved closer to normal progress by the first of June. June was a relatively wet month with some areas receiving more rainfall for the month than any year since 1982. Crops and pasture condition ratings rose during the month and by July 1, prospects were generally favorable. July and August were characteristically hot and dry and crop conditions declined significantly. The drought continued through September, October, and into early November. Harvest progressed well ahead of average but the continuing drought further hindered late developing soybeans and peanuts. About mid-November the drought eased somewhat and allowed for the seeding of small grains.

PEANUT ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION DOWN

Georgia's 1987 peanut production dropped 4 percent from the drought reduced 1986 crop to 1.58 billion pounds. The reduction was the result of a decline of 5 percent in harvested acres, to 630,000 acres. Yield per acre was slightly higher than in 1986. Prospects on August 1, were very favorable, but dry soils and high temperatures the remainder of the month sharply reduced yield potential. October was abnormally cool which also reduced nut development on late plantings. Final yield per acre for the 1987 crop averaged 2,500 pounds, 45 pounds per acre more than the drought damaged 1986 crop. Average price declined .3 cent from 1986 to 28.8 cents per pound. Total value of the 1987 crop was $453.6 million, 5 percent less than 1986, but still the State's most valuable crop. Georgia remained unchallenged as the Nation's leading peanut producing state.

CORN ACRES RECORD LOW

Corn plantings in Georgia in 1987 continued a downward trend establishing a new record low of 680,000 acres. Acreage planted was 24 percent below 1986, and 18 percent below the previous record low in 1983. Acreage harvested for grain also reached a new low of 610,000 acres, a 16 percent decline from the previous low set in 1986. Although fewer acres were harvested, the 84 bushels per acre yield was only 1 bushel under the record high yield set in 1982. The excellent yields in 1987 pushed total corn production in Georgia to 51.2 million bushels, 21 percent more than the drought damaged crop of 1986. The average price farmers received was $2.10 per bushel for the 1987 crop, an increase of 17 cents per bushel over 1986. Total value of production amounted to nearly $108 million, 32 percent more than the 1986 crop, which was valued at $81.7 million.

COTTON ACREAGE, YIELD AND PRODUCTION UP

Cotton production in Georgia in 1987 rebounded from the drought reduced crop of 1986. Production totaled 338,000 bales, an increase of 83 percent from the 185,000 bales produced in 1986. Contributing to the increase was a 26 percent jump in acres harvested in 1987 to 245,000 acres. More important was a 45 percent boost in yield per acre to 662 pounds, 207 pounds above the drought reduced crop of 1986. The average price for cotton was also stronger in 1987, gaining 4.1 cents from the previous year to average 62.4 cents per pound. This put total value of production at $101 million, nearly double the value of the 1986 crop, and the highest since 1973.

SOYBEAN ACREAGE DOWN, PRODUCTION UP

Acreage planted to soybeans in Georgia in 1987, at 830,000 acres, was 32 percent below 1986. This marked the third consecutive year that acreage declined and was the lowest planted acreage since 1972. Harvested acres also declined from 1986, but only by 5 percent to 780,000 acres. Yield per acre improved in 1987 to 20 bushels per acre, 3 bushels more than in 1986. Soybean production in 1987 totaled 15.6 million bushels, an increase of 12 percent from 1986. Average price improved to $5.45 per bushel in 1987, up 70 cents per bushel from 1986. Value of production for the 1987 crop amounted to $85.0 million, an increase of 28 percent from the $66.2 million 1986 crop.

TOBACCO ACREAGE AND PRODUCTION UP

Georgia's tobacco acreage in 1987 rose 1,000 acres from the previous year to 32,000 acres harvested, the first year-to-year increase since 1980. This was still the second smallest acreage since 1932. Yield also improved from 1986, gaining 65 pounds to average 2,255 pounds per acre. Tobacco production in Georgia totaled 72.2 million pounds in 1987, up 6 percent from a year earlier. The average price received by growers, at $1.63 per hundred pounds, was 4.9 cents per hundred above 1986. This made total value of production nearly $118 million for the 1987 tobacco crop, $10 million or 10 percent more than the 1986 crop.

HAY ACREAGE UP 13 PERCENT

Because of short carryover supplies from 1986, Georgia farmers cut additional acreage for hay in 1987. As a result, the acreage harvested for hay in 1987 rose 13 percent to 600,000 acres. This was the largest number of acres cut for hay since 1956. Production jumped 47 percent from the drought reduced crop of 1986 to 1.32 million tons, equaling the record high production of 1984. Yield per acre averaged 2.2 tons, up one-half ton per acre from the previous year. Because of the increased supply, prices farmers received for hay dropped $11.00 per ton from 1986 to $62.00 for 1987. The overall value of production for the 1987 hay crop totaled $81.8 million, 24 percent more than the 1986 crop.

WHEAT PRODUCTION OFF

Wheat production in Georgia in 1987 amounted to 14.3 million bushels, a decline of 7 percent from 1986. The reduced production was attributed to a 16 percent decline in acres harvested for grain, at 460,000 acres. Yield averaged 31 bushels per acre, 3 bushels more than the 1986 crop. The average price farmers received rose moderately from the previous year to $2.50 per bushel. Total value of the wheat crop amounted to $35.7 million, a 7 percent drop in value from 1986.

FIELD CROPS–Acreage, Yield, Production and Value of Production, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Marketing Year Average Price per Unit 1/	Value of Production
	— 1,000 Acres —		Bushels	1,000 Bu.	Dollars per Bu.	1,000 Dollars
Corn for Grain						
1980	1,600	1,300	42.0	54,600	3.45	188,370
1981	1,600	1,380	50.0	69,000	2.85	196,650
1982	900	815	85.0	69,275	2.59	179,422
1983	830	735	75.0	55,125	3.64	200,655
1984	1,080	985	82.0	80,770	2.99	241,502
1985	1,080	975	84.0	81,900	2.39	195,741
1986	900	730	58.0	42,340	1.93	81,716
1987	680	610	84.0	51,240	2.10	107,604
Oats						
1980	150	65	53.0	3,445	1.67	5,753
1981	160	75	60.0	4,500	1.84	8,280
1982	160	90	61.0	5,490	1.56	8,564
1983	155	85	61.0	5,185	1.48	7,674
1984	125	60	55.0	3,300	1.70	5,610
1985	115	45	45.0	2,025	1.55	3,139
1986	60	35	39.0	1,365	1.25	1,706
1987	55	30	55.0	1,650	1.65	2,723
Rye						
1980	450	95	21.0	1,995	2.18	4,349
1981	450	105	26.0	2,730	3.19	8,709
1982	450	70	21.0	1,470	2.34	3,440
1983	400	70	21.0	1,470	2.39	3,513
1984	430	80	22.0	1,760	2.55	4,488
1985	450	90	23.0	2,070	2.30	4,761
1986	425	85	21.0	1,785	1.80	3,213
1987	380	70	22.0	1,540	1.80	2,772
Sorghum for Grain						
1980	150	82	24.0	1,968	2.98	5,865
1981	225	135	33.0	4,455	2.17	9,667
1982	200	135	42.0	5,670	2.04	11,567
1983	118	68	41.0	2,788	3.19	8,894
1984	165	113	42.0	4,746	2.52	11,960
1985	175	138	48.0	6,624	1.74	11,526
1986	155	82	33.0	2,706	1.32	3,572
1987	110	60	40.0	2,400	1.37	3,288
Soybeans for Beans						
1980	2,200	1,950	12.0	23,400	7.63	178,542
1981	2,300	2,200	19.0	41,800	6.09	254,562
1982	2,400	2,350	27.0	63,450	5.45	345,803
1983	2,050	2,000	21.0	42,000	7.59	318,780
1984	2,100	2,000	20.0	40,000	5.99	239,600
1985	1,800	1,550	24.0	37,200	4.82	179,304
1986	1,220	820	17.0	13,940	4.75	66,215
1987	830	780	20.0	15,600	5.45	85,020
Wheat						
1980	660	600	33.0	19,800	3.66	72,468
1981	1,150	1,070	43.0	46,010	3.32	152,753
1982	1,470	1,370	33.0	45,210	3.04	137,438
1983	1,060	910	34.0	30,940	3.23	99,936
1984	1,000	890	35.0	31,150	3.20	99,680
1985	950	825	31.0	25,575	2.83	72,377
1986	640	550	28.0	15,400	2.48	38,192
1987	550	460	31.0	14,260	2.50	35,650

1/ State marketing year average prices based on individual state marketing years. Prices do not include an allowance for loans outstanding and government purchases.

FIELD CROPS–Acreage, Yield, Production and Value of Production, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Marketing Year Average Price per Unit 1/	Value of Production
	— 1,000 Acres —		Pounds	1,000 Lbs.	Cents per Lb.	1,000 Dollars
Peanuts for Nuts						
1980	530	514	1,935	994,590	23.6	234,723
1981	570	565	2,930	1,655,450	27.0	446,972
1982	475	472	3,215	1,517,480	24.6	373,300
1983	567	562	2,790	1,567,980	24.1	377,883
1984	643	640	3,375	2,160,000	28.8	622,080
1985	595	593	3,240	1,921,320	24.6	472,645
1986	675	665	2,455	1,632,575	29.1	475,079
1987	635	630	2,500	1,575,000	28.8	453,600
Tobacco-Flue Cured						
1980	55.0	55.0	2,010	110,550	139.5	154,217
1981	55.0	55.0	2,200	121,000	162.5	196,625
1982	49.0	49.0	2,155	105,595	179.6	189,649
1983	44.0	44.0	2,190	96,360	180.3	173,737
1984	38.0	38.0	2,250	85,500	182.6	156,123
1985	36.0	36.0	2,280	82,080	171.1	140,439
1986	31.0	31.0	2,190	67,890	158.1	107,334
1987	32.0	32.0	2,255	72,160	163.0	117,621
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Cotton				480 Lb. Bales		
1980	170	160	258	86	78.20	32,281
1981	180	175	436	159	56.30	42,968
1982	163	158	714	235	55.90	63,055
1983	120	115	467	112	67.20	36,127
1984	175	172	784	281	58.70	79,175
1985	255	245	725	370	54.30	96,437
1986	225	195	455	185	58.30	51,770
1987	250	245	662	338	62.40	101,238
				1,000	Dollars	
Cottonseed				Tons	per Ton	
1980				30	125.00	3,750
1981				62	97.00	6,014
1982				85	66.50	5,653
1983				41	189.00	7,749
1984				101	93.50	9,444
1985				128	57.00	7,296
1986				64	91.00	5,824
1987				122	85.00	10,370
			Tons		Dollars per	
All Hay					Ton Baled	
1980	460	460	1.60	736	64.50	47,472
1981	475	475	2.15	1,021	66.00	67,386
1982	500	500	2.40	1,200	60.00	72,000
1983	500	500	2.00	1,000	63.50	63,500
1984	550	550	2.40	1,320	62.00	81,840
1985	495	495	2.50	1,238	60.00	74,280
1986	530	530	1.70	901	73.00	65,773
1987	600	600	2.20	1,320	62.00	81,840
Total Crops 2/						
1980	6,425	5,281				927,790
1981	7,165	6,235				1,390,586
1982	6,767	6,009				1,389,891
1983	5,844	5,089				1,298,448
1984	6,306	5,528				1,551,502
1985	5,951	4,992				1,257,945
1986	4,861	3,723				900,394
1987	4,122	3,517				1,001,726

1/ State marketing year average prices based on individual state marketing years. Prices do not include an allowance for loans outstanding and government purchases. 2/ Harvested acre substituted for planted acre for tobacco and hay. Totals include only crops listed.

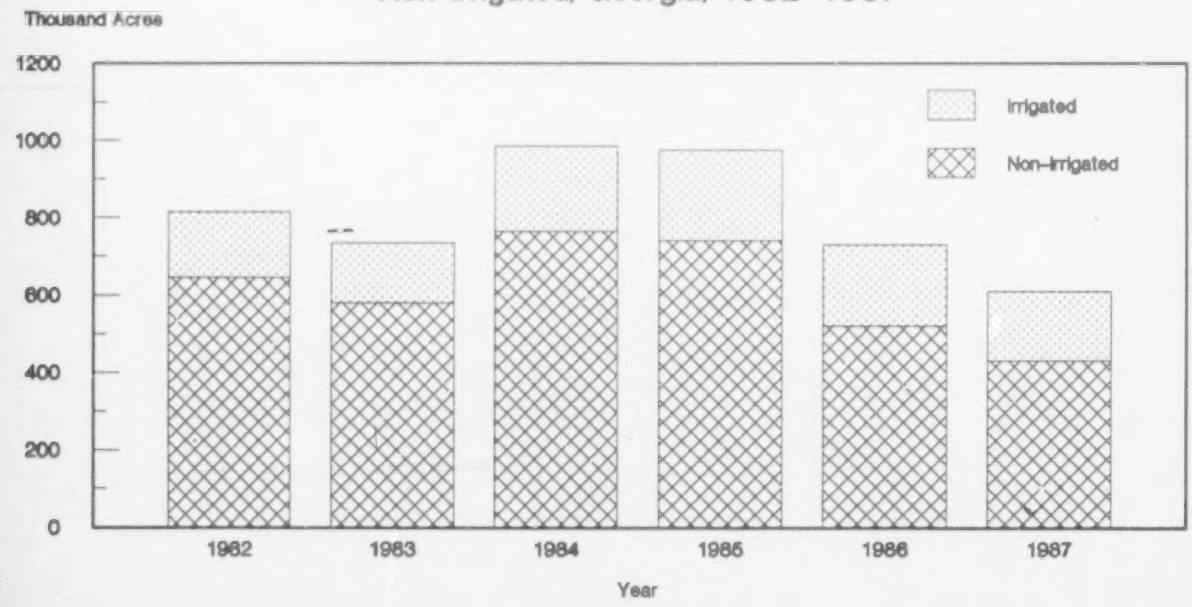
CORN AND SORGHUM SILAGE—Acreage, Yield and Production, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	CORN			Year	SORGHUM		
	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production		Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	1,000 Acres	*Tons*	*1,000 Tons*		*1,000 Acres*	*Tons*	*1,000 Tons*
1980	88	10.0	880	1980	36	9.0	324
1981	81	11.5	932	1981	56	11.0	616
1982	64	14.5	928	1982	52	15.0	780
1983	63	15.0	945	1983	39	14.0	546
1984	56	14.0	784	1984	38	12.0	456
1985	48	14.5	696	1985	25	14.0	350
1986	40	9.0	360	1986	42	9.0	378
1987	40	10.5	420	1987	40	11.0	440

IRRIGATED AND NON-IRRIGATED CORN—GEORGIA, 1982–1987

Year	Acres Harvested for Grain			Yield per Acre			Production		
	Non-Irrigated	Irrigated	Total	Non-Irrigated	Irrigated	Total	Non-Irrigated	Irrigated	Total
	1,000 Acres			*Bushels*			*1,000 Bushels*		
1982	645	170	815	70.5	140.0	85.0	45,475	23,800	69,275
1983	580	155	735	64.3	115.0	75.0	37,300	17,825	55,125
1984	765	220	985	71.1	120.0	82.0	54,370	26,400	80,770
1985	740	235	975	66.2	140.0	84.0	49,000	32,900	81,900
1986	520	210	730	37.0	110.0	58.0	19,240	23,100	42,340
1987	430	180	610	68.9	120.0	84.0	29,640	21,600	51,240

CORN ACRES HARVESTED - Irrigated and Non-Irrigated, Georgia, 1982-1987

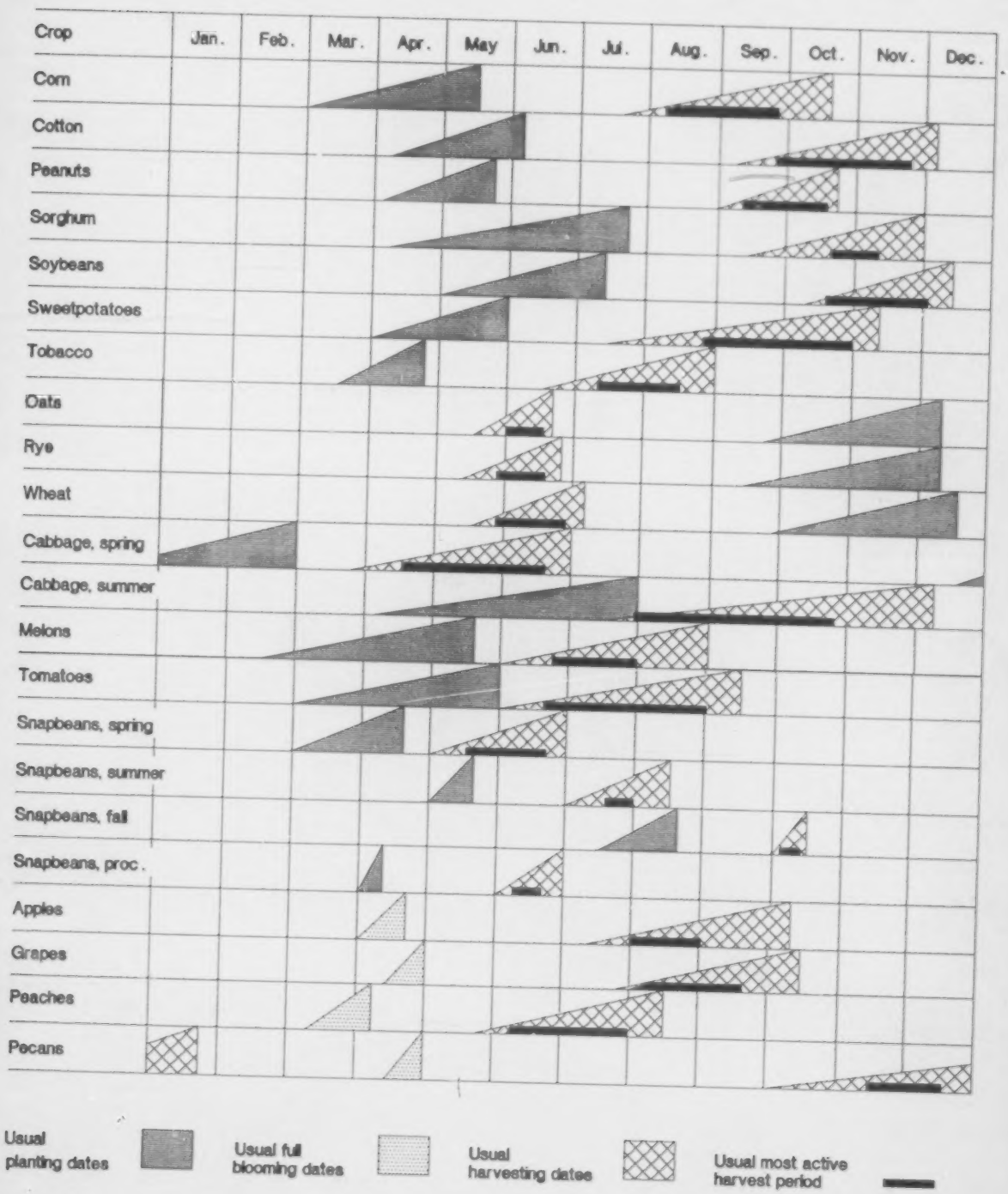


CROP RECORDS—Acreage, Yield and Production, Georgia 1/

Item	Unit	Record High		Record Low		Year Records Began
		Quantity	Year	Quantity	Year	
All Hay						1909
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	1,617	1943	316	1909	
Yield per Acre	Tons	2.6	1979	.33	1925	
Production	Thous. Tons	1,320	1984,1987	177	1925	
Apples						1976
Total Production	Thous. Lbs.	50,000	1984	15,000	1982	
Corn for Grain						1919
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	4,508	1935	610	1987	
Yield per Acre	Bushels	85.0	1982	8.0	1936	
Production	Thous. Bu.	133,920	1976	24,000	1977	
Cotton, Upland						1866
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	5,157	1914	115	1978,1983	
Yield per Acre	Pounds	784	1984	93	1875	
Production	Thous. Bales	2,769	1911	82	1977	
Grain Sorghum						1953
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	138	1985	10	1962,1963	
Yield per Acre	Bushels	48.0	1985	13.0	1954	
Production	Thous. Bu.	6,624	1985	143	1954	
Oats						1866
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	770	1882	30	1987	
Yield per Acre	Bushels	61.0	1982,1983	8.0	1871	
Production	Thous. Bu.	17,391	1945	1,012	1866	
Peaches						1899
Total Production	Thous. Lbs.	257,000	1968	0	1955	
Peanuts						
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	1,169	1948	40	1916	1916
Yield per Acre	Pounds	3,375	1984	490	1932	1916
Production	Thous. Lbs.	2,160,000	1984	26,250	1910	1909
Pecans						1919
Production	Thous. Lbs.	135,000	1978	1,500	1922	
Rye						1909
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	110	1978,1979	3	1950	
Yield per Acre	Bushels	26.0	1981	4.9	1909	
Production	Thous. Bu.	2,730	1981	28	1950	
Soybeans						1924
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	2,350	1982	5	1928	
Yield per Acre	Bushels	28.0	1979	5.0	1933,1939	
Production	Thous. Bu.	63,450	1982	32	1928	
Tobacco						1909
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	122	1939	2	1909, 1910 1911, 1912	
Yield per Acre	Pounds	2,280	1985	520	1919	
Production	Thous. Lbs.	161,402	1974	1,470	1909	
Wheat						1866
Acres Harvested	Thous. Acres	1,370	1982	28	1930	
Yield per Acre	Bushels	43.0	1981	4.0	1866,1871 1890	
Production	Thous. Bu.	46,010	1981	280	1930	

1/ Through crop year 1987.

USUAL PLANTING OR BLOOMING DATES AND HARVESTING DATES, GEORGIA



CORN

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Thomas	2,316,000 bu
2. Screven	2,152,000 bu
3. Seminole	1,858,000 bu
4. Decatur	1,748,000 bu
5. Mitchell	1,650,000 bu
6. Early	1,621,000 bu
7. Bulloch	1,600,000 bu
8. Colquitt	1,414,000 bu
9. Irwin	1,372,000 bu
10. Appling	1,344,000 bu
State Total	81,240,000 bu

1,500,000 & over bu.

1,000,000-1,499,999 bu.

500,000-999,999 bu.

100,000-499,999 bu.

Less than 100,000 bu.

COTTON

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Colquitt	33,200 bales
2. Brooks	31,500 bales
3. Dooly	30,500 bales
4. Thomas	18,500 bales
5. Pulaski	13,800 bales
6. Tift	13,500 bales
7. Cook	11,500 bales
8. Burke	10,500 bales
9. Berrien	10,300 bales
10. Calhoun	9,850 bales
State Total	338,000 bales

7,500 & over bales

2,500-7,499 bales

1,000-2,499 bales

100-999 bales

Less than 100 bales

OATS

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Washington	116,000 bu
2. Johnson	88,000 bu
3. Decatur	72,000 bu
4. Screven	70,000 bu
5. Baker	60,000 bu
6. Jefferson	59,000 bu
7. Houston	47,000 bu
8. Lowndes	45,500 bu
9. Lee	44,000 bu
10. Mitchell	42,000 bu
State Total	1,650,000 bu

50,000 & over bu.

25,000-49,999 bu.

10,000-24,999 bu.

2,500-9,999 bu.

Less than 2,500 bu.

PEANUTS

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Worth	92,658,000 lbs
2. Early	80,347,000 lbs
3. Decatur	66,940,000 lbs
4. Mitchell	66,018,000 lbs
5. Miller	64,390,000 lbs
6. Irwin	57,385,000 lbs
7. Dooly	56,824,000 lbs
8. Turner	55,625,000 lbs
9. Seminole	51,198,000 lbs
10. Tift	51,140,000 lbs
State Total	1,575,000,000 lbs

80,000,000 & over lbs

30,000,000-59,999,999 lbs

10,000,000-29,999,999 lbs

1,000,000-9,999,999 lbs

Less than 1,000,000 lbs

RYE

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Lee	76,000 bu
2. Jefferson	68,000 bu
3. Burke	61,000 bu
4. Seminole	58,000 bu
5. Bulloch	55,000 bu
Screven	55,000 bu
7. Irwin	53,000 bu
8. Miller	52,000 bu
9. Decatur	49,000 bu
Turner	49,000 bu
10. Emanuel	47,000 bu
State Total	1,540,000 bu

60,000 & over bu.

30,000-59,999 bu.

10,000-29,999 bu.

2,000-9,999 bu.

Less than 2,000 bu.

SORGHUM GRAIN

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Clay	147,000 bu
2. Early	117,500 bu
3. Lee	102,500 bu
4. Miller	101,000 bu
5. Seminole	81,000 bu
6. Bulloch	66,500 bu
7. Emanuel	65,500 bu
8. Worth	64,500 bu
9. Turner	60,000 bu
10. Colquitt	58,500 bu
Randolph	58,500 bu
State Total	2,400,000 bu

100,000 & over bu.

50,000-99,999 bu.

25,000-49,999 bu.

10,000-24,999 bu.

Less than 10,000 bu.

SOYBEANS

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Bulloch	1,166,500 bu
2. Burke	740,500 bu
3. Screven	522,500 bu
4. Emanuel	516,000 bu
5. Jefferson	483,000 bu
6. Thomas	480,000 bu
7. Brooks	467,000 bu
8. Sumter	450,500 bu
9. Coffee	400,500 bu
10. Tattnall	381,500 bu
State Total	15,600,000 bu

400,000 & over bu.

200,000-399,999 bu.

100,000-199,999 bu.

25,000-99,999 bu.

Less than 25,000 bu.

TOBACCO

Production by Counties, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Colquitt	5,607,000 lbs
2. Coffee	4,951,000 lbs
3. Berrien	4,357,000 lbs
4. Lowndes	3,699,000 lbs
5. Pierce	3,623,000 lbs
6. Tattnall	3,154,000 lbs
7. Cook	3,096,000 lbs
8. Bulloch	3,064,000 lbs
9. Tift	2,989,000 lbs
10. Irwin	2,412,000 lbs
State Total	72,180,000 lbs

4,000,000 & over lbs

2,000,000-3,999,999 lbs

300,000-1,999,999 lbs

Less Than 300,000 lbs

None

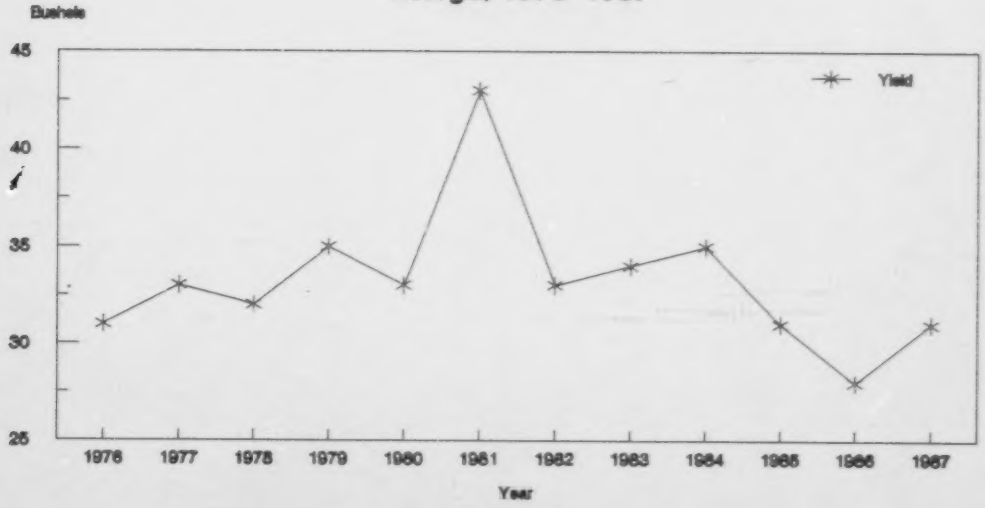
WHEAT

Production by Counties, 1987
Top 10 Counties

1. Sumter	685,000 bu
2. Terrell	619,500 bu
3. Dooly	596,500 bu
4. Macon	586,500 bu
5. Jefferson	479,500 bu
6. Burke	440,000 bu
7. Peach	411,000 bu
8. Washington	392,500 bu
9. Houston	388,000 bu
10. Calhoun	327,000 bu
State Total	14,260,000 bu

400,000 & over bu.	
200,000-399,000 bu.	
100,000-199,999 bu.	
20,000-99,999 bu.	
Less than 20,000 bu.	

WHEAT - Yield, Georgia, 1976-1987



CORN — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Appling	27,500	23,000	30.0	689,000	16,500	16,000	84.0	1,344,000
Atkinson	9,900	9,000	52.3	471,000	6,500	6,200	93.4	579,000
Bacon	14,000	12,000	40.3	483,000	12,500	12,000	79.8	958,000
Baker	15,500	13,500	120.4	1,625,000	11,000	10,500	104.4	1,096,000
Baldwin	390	120	17.5	2,100	360	140	32.1	4,500
Banks	590	410	24.1	9,900	930	800	38.1	30,500
Barrow	380	100	33.0	3,300	350	130	40.8	5,300
Bartow	1,500	1,200	63.8	76,500	1,000	730	67.1	49,000
Ben Hill	11,500	10,500	45.8	481,000	9,100	8,400	81.9	688,000
Berrien	21,000	21,000	49.5	1,039,000	14,000	14,000	75.9	1,062,000
Bibb	410	390	30.8	12,000	450	390	69.2	27,000
Bleckley	2,400	2,100	68.1	143,000	1,800	1,800	83.9	151,000
Brantley	3,500	2,700	42.5	114,800	3,000	2,600	70.0	182,000
Brooks	24,500	19,000	47.8	909,000	15,500	15,500	76.4	1,184,000
Bryan	2,400	1,500	21.7	32,500	2,400	2,400	87.9	211,000
Bulloch	29,500	28,000	43.4	1,216,000	19,000	18,500	86.5	1,600,000
Burke	16,000	12,000	56.2	674,500	11,000	10,500	80.3	843,500
Butts	1,300	910	17.6	16,000	670	470	20.6	9,700
Calhoun	10,500	9,400	72.5	681,500	7,700	7,600	89.6	681,000
Camden	290	160	37.5	6,000	200	160	49.4	7,900
Candler	8,300	5,300	32.2	170,500	2,800	2,800	70.9	198,500
Carroll	1,200	840	14.9	12,500	940	880	49.4	43,500
Catoosa	1,000	240	45.8	11,000	940	270	48.1	13,000
Charlton	820	760	52.6	40,000	800	630	47.6	30,000
Chatham	820	780	21.8	17,000	480	460	65.2	30,000
Chattooga	1,700	1,200	50.1	60,100	1,400	930	49.5	46,000
Clarke	140	100	37.0	3,700	150	130	50.0	6,500
Clay	3,800	3,000	54.8	164,500	2,300	2,200	87.5	192,500
Clayton	430	430	88.6	38,100	500	460	27.2	12,500
Clinch	2,000	1,000	55.0	55,000	1,100	810	84.0	68,000
Coffee	26,500	23,000	43.9	1,009,000	18,000	17,500	65.9	1,153,000
Colquitt	22,000	20,500	60.9	1,248,000	19,000	18,500	76.4	1,414,000
Columbia	900	360	21.7	7,800	560	550	27.3	15,000
Cook	14,000	13,000	71.5	929,000	12,000	12,000	88.2	1,058,000
Coweta	910	450	50.0	22,500	920	610	64.8	39,500
Crawford	350	200	24.5	4,900	320	240	70.8	17,000
Crisp	8,200	7,900	60.1	474,500	6,000	5,200	58.8	306,000
Dade	550	240	50.4	12,100	310	190	55.3	10,500
Dawson	1,000	650	49.2	32,000	610	360	63.9	23,000
Decatur	24,000	19,500	76.4	1,490,000	18,000	18,000	97.1	1,748,000
Dodge	8,000	6,700	67.4	451,500	5,800	5,300	84.1	445,500
Dooly	4,500	3,700	45.4	168,000	4,500	4,100	91.8	376,500
Dougherty	5,000	4,700	132.3	621,900	4,300	4,100	137.1	562,000
Early	23,000	19,500	85.1	1,659,000	17,500	16,500	98.2	1,621,000
Echols	1,100	1,000	43.5	43,500	800	790	62.7	49,500
Effingham	8,700	7,800	37.2	290,000	4,300	4,100	77.7	318,500
Elbert	640	350	99.1	34,700	1,000	220	77.3	17,000
Emanuel	8,600	6,000	38.0	227,700	7,500	7,500	76.3	572,000

CORN — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Evans	5,800	5,000	27.8	138,800	4,800	4,700	84.0	395,000
Fannin	620	330	57.9	19,100	590	280	67.9	19,000
Fayette	250	140	37.1	5,200	180	130	88.5	11,500
Floyd	2,000	1,900	67.6	128,400	2,300	1,800	73.1	131,500
Forsyth	2,400	1,500	52.0	78,000	1,700	1,300	30.8	40,000
Franklin	1,400	300	50.0	15,000	1,300	880	36.9	32,500
Fulton	750	460	62.0	28,500	500	330	48.5	16,000
Gilmer	630	470	63.0	29,600	980	590	52.5	31,000
Glascock	700	350	44.3	15,500	650	360	47.2	17,000
Gordon	6,000	4,400	96.2	423,100	5,800	4,400	100.1	440,500
Grady	22,500	20,500	54.5	1,118,000	15,000	14,500	81.9	1,187,000
Greene	290	100	37.0	3,700	300	100	24.0	2,400
Gwinnett	360	120	19.2	2,300		1/		
Habersham	1,600	590	65.1	38,400	1,300	470	73.4	34,500
Hall	2,000	110	37.3	4,100	2,200	340	67.6	23,000
Hancock	470	280	9.3	2,600	490	360	27.8	10,000
Haralson		1/			410	160	43.8	7,000
Hart	1,300	320	66.3	21,200	1,300	420	116.7	49,000
Heard	540	260	21.9	5,700	650	410	76.8	31,500
Henry	970	420	33.3	14,000	1,100	430	34.9	15,000
Houston	5,800	3,800	54.6	207,500	4,200	2,700	73.1	197,500
Irwin	29,000	24,000	40.3	968,000	19,000	18,000	76.2	1,372,000
Jackson	340	120	43.3	5,200		1/		
Jasper		1/			600	150	50.0	7,500
Jeff Davis	12,000	11,000	59.0	649,500	7,400	6,800	87.9	598,000
Jefferson	10,500	8,300	94.1	780,700	10,500	9,100	113.3	1,031,000
Jenkins	13,500	9,400	59.9	563,000	10,000	8,300	92.8	770,500
Johnson	4,600	2,500	37.8	94,500	2,700	2,300	57.6	132,500
Jones	460	110	8.2	900	550	210	23.8	5,000
Lamar	580	450	46.7	21,000	750	330	89.4	29,500
Lanier	3,500	3,000	50.2	150,500	2,900	2,900	71.7	208,000
Laurens	14,000	8,400	35.8	301,000	12,000	10,000	58.9	589,000
Lee	12,000	8,600	72.0	619,000	10,000	8,400	93.1	782,000
Liberty	570	560	44.6	25,000	360	310	32.3	10,000
Long	1,800	1,700	59.1	100,500	960	960	71.9	69,000
Lowndes	9,000	7,600	48.6	369,000	8,800	6,700	69.6	466,500
Lumpkin	1,400	790	43.7	34,500	1,400	1,100	61.8	68,000
Macon	4,300	3,100	67.1	208,000	5,100	2,900	101.7	295,000
Madison	900	200	26.5	5,300	1,200	390	26.9	10,500
Marion	720	410	42.7	17,500	810	660	74.2	49,000
McDuffie	1,400	1,300	26.9	35,000	790	460	51.1	23,500
Meriwether	1,000	330	36.4	12,000	980	770	62.3	48,000
Miller	12,000	10,500	93.5	981,700	9,600	9,400	86.9	816,500
Mitchell	24,500	22,500	78.4	1,764,000	17,000	16,500	100.0	1,650,000
Monroe	760	200	55.0	11,000	940	250	68.0	17,000
Montgomery	4,900	1,500	13.3	20,000	2,800	2,300	59.1	136,000
Morgan	2,200	840	30.4	25,500	2,200	880	70.5	62,000
Murray	3,000	2,900	69.2	200,700	1,700	1,600	44.1	70,500

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CORN — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels —	
Newton	1,200	200	22.0	4,400	1,100	330	22.1	7,300
Oglethorpe	630	100	22.0	2,200	410	130	21.5	2,800
Paulding	160	130	46.9	6,100		1/		
Peach	2,300	1,800	92.2	166,000	1,700	920	107.1	98,500
Pickens	170	100	56.0	5,600	290	110	45.5	5,000
Pierce	17,500	14,000	47.6	666,000	12,500	11,500	78.0	897,000
Polk	890	690	47.7	32,900	850	700	60.7	42,500
Pulaski	4,300	2,700	50.4	136,000	3,500	2,200	75.5	166,000
Putnam		1/			430	100	57.0	5,700
Quitman	1,100	1,100	32.7	36,000	800	800	76.3	61,000
Rabun	570	470	51.9	24,400	570	180	77.8	14,000
Randolph	14,000	12,000	90.7	1,088,000	11,500	10,500	104.6	1,098,000
Richmond	2,000	810	40.1	32,500	2,000	830	34.9	29,000
Schley	1,700	1,200	45.8	55,000	1,200	910	80.8	73,500
Screven	35,000	31,000	52.3	1,622,000	22,000	21,000	102.5	2,152,000
Seminole	17,000	15,500	105.4	1,634,000	16,000	15,500	119.9	1,858,000
Spalding	900	300	60.0	18,000	570	220	81.8	18,000
Stephens		1/			1,200	340	66.2	22,500
Stewart	2,400	2,100	88.2	185,300	2,100	2,100	116.4	244,500
Sumter	21,500	19,500	60.2	1,174,000	14,000	13,000	93.4	1,214,000
Talbot	440	180	19.4	3,500		1/		
Tattnall	8,800	5,300	21.7	115,000	7,500	7,300	68.3	498,500
Taylor	1,500	1,100	35.5	39,000	1,200	990	63.6	63,000
Telfair	8,900	5,800	62.5	362,500	5,400	5,200	92.3	480,000
Terrell	13,000	12,500	68.9	861,800	8,600	8,500	89.3	759,000
Thomas	34,000	31,000	56.0	1,736,000	31,000	30,000	77.2	2,316,000
Tift	9,900	8,400	71.7	602,000	6,300	5,700	72.2	411,500
Toombs	12,500	8,000	29.4	235,300	8,500	7,800	76.2	594,500
Towns	1,200	900	76.2	68,600	780	650	77.7	50,500
Treutlen	2,000	460	16.5	7,600	2,100	1,200	75.0	90,000
Troup		1/			490	240	45.8	11,000
Turner	6,300	5,800	39.4	228,500	5,700	5,700	87.2	497,000
Twiggs	2,200	1,400	30.0	42,000	2,100	1,600	53.1	85,000
Union	2,000	1,200	44.2	53,000	2,000	1,500	74.3	111,500
Upson		1/			340	130	51.5	6,700
Walker	2,600	1,500	45.9	68,800	3,000	1,200	62.9	75,500
Walton	1,100	370	31.1	11,500	480	220	25.0	5,500
Ware	10,000	9,300	37.9	352,300	7,200	7,100	81.1	576,000
Warren	1,400	380	20.5	7,800	1,400	1,000	31.5	31,500
Washington	7,800	6,000	64.6	387,500	8,000	6,200	76.0	471,000
Wayne	9,500	8,600	47.3	406,900	7,700	7,500	80.0	600,000
Webster	4,700	4,100	58.1	238,300	3,600	3,400	94.3	320,500
Wheeler	4,700	1,900	40.3	76,500	3,500	2,700	70.2	189,500
White	2,100	1,200	60.8	73,000	1,700	1,000	70.0	70,000
Whitfield	1,600	1,600	54.6	87,300	1,500	1,100	80.0	88,000
Wilcox	6,700	5,300	59.7	316,500	7,000	6,500	86.2	560,000
Wilkes	1,100	160	26.3	4,200	640	220	28.2	6,200
Wilkinson	1,500	730	70.5	51,500	800	600	45.8	27,500
Worth	17,500	14,500	51.1	740,500	13,000	12,000	91.2	1,094,000
Other Counties 1/	5,110	770	37.5	28,900	2,170	900	37.8	34,000

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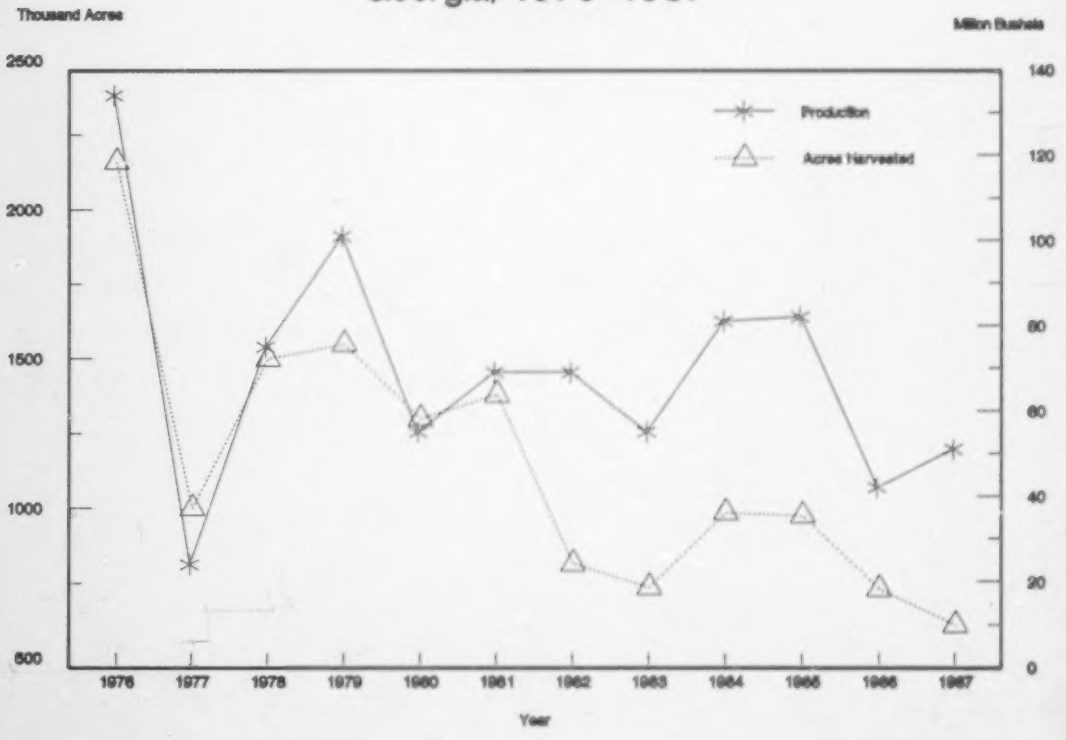
CORN — Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts, and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
District 1	21,000	16,000	69.2	1,107,000	19,000	13,000	74.7	971,000
District 2	17,500	8,700	52.8	459,700	14,500	8,400	58.0	487,000
District 3	9,500	3,000	53.3	159,900	10,000	4,100	53.9	221,000
District 4	17,000	9,800	48.8	478,500	17,000	10,500	72.7	763,000
District 5	74,000	43,500	50.0	2,174,000	59,500	43,500	68.0	2,958,000
District 6	136,500	111,000	50.8	5,643,000	92,500	85,000	89.4	7,602,000
District 7	260,500	229,500	77.0	17,678,000	200,000	191,500	95.1	18,207,000
District 8	248,000	215,000	52.2	11,214,000	182,000	172,500	79.0	13,625,000
District 9	116,000	93,500	36.6	3,426,000	85,500	81,500	78.6	6,406,000
STATE TOTAL	900,000	730,000	58.0	42,340,000	680,000	610,000	84.0	51,240,000

CORN – Acreage and Production, Georgia, 1976–1987



COTTON — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harvested	Lint per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bales	Planted	Harvested	Lint per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bales
	— Acres —		Pounds	Bales	— Acres —		Pounds	Bales
Appling	415	370	519	400	430	430	513	460
Atkinson	275	260	600	325	1,250	1,220	700	1,780
Bacon	185	160	600	200	440	430	519	465
Baker	2,780	2,560	638	3,400	3,400	3,320	817	5,650
Bartow	850	760	676	1,070	2,450	2,420	595	3,000
Ben Hill	775	700	446	650	1,100	1,080	889	2,000
Berrien	1,750	1,700	536	1,900	7,000	6,870	720	10,300
Bleckley	5,200	4,260	375	3,330	4,600	4,500	581	5,450
Brooks	21,600	21,300	597	26,500	22,500	22,200	681	31,500
Bulloch	980	965	311	625	650	630	571	750
Burke	12,500	11,000	227	5,200	11,200	11,000	458	10,500
Calhoun	5,600	4,490	668	6,250	6,000	5,900	801	9,850
Candler	865	660	531	730	840	825	506	870
Chattooga	420	380	366	290	300	290	497	300
Clay	1,710	1,540	355	1,140	1,750	1,700	776	2,750
Coffee	1,490	1,340	419	1,170	2,150	2,100	455	1,990
Colquitt	17,700	17,200	488	17,500	20,500	20,200	789	33,200
Cook	4,160	4,000	768	6,400	7,400	7,300	756	11,500
Crawford	395	290	372	225	350	250	403	210
Crisp	7,650	6,500	206	2,790	5,000	4,650	588	5,700
Decatur	360	350	974	710	1,800	1,750	905	3,300
Dodge	3,030	2,690	498	2,790	3,700	3,660	522	3,980
Dooly	31,400	21,100	284	12,500	26,000	25,600	572	30,500
Dougherty	255	250	624	325	500	490	793	810
Early	2,160	2,050	562	2,400	2,900	2,830	899	5,300
Echols	430	400	720	600	600	600	544	680
Effingham	-	1/			240	240	560	280
Elbert	1,840	1,560	225	730	1,650	1,620	504	1,700
Emanuel	1,650	1,480	373	1,150	1,600	1,500	646	2,020
Evans	80	50	288	30	180	180	507	190
Floyd	810	710	507	750	800	790	547	900
Franklin		1/			140	140	480	140
Glascock	375	240	400	200	250	245	313	160
Grady	215	205	726	310	200	200	816	340
Hart	1,150	355	149	110	1,200	1,180	468	1,150
Henry	75	60	240	30	60	60	720	90
Houston	2,500	1,890	282	1,110	2,700	2,700	450	2,530
Irwin	2,520	2,400	354	1,770	3,600	3,540	705	5,200
Jeff Davis	2,730	2,700	480	2,700	2,700	2,620	641	3,500
Jefferson	4,310	4,090	227	1,930	4,150	4,050	486	4,100
Jenkins	550	535	897	1,000	780	770	804	1,290
Johnson	1,050	635	268	355	850	820	480	820
Lamar	145	120	680	170	170	160	750	250
Lanier	290	290	662	400	600	510	706	750
Laurens	2,010	1,850	405	1,560	2,100	1,940	351	1,420
Lee	2,100	1,950	965	3,920	4,200	4,100	942	8,050
Lowndes	4,950	4,900	617	6,300	5,000	4,920	649	6,650
Macon	2,380	2,010	406	1,700	1,950	1,920	755	3,020

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COTTON — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harvested	Lint per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bales	Planted	Harvested	Lint per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bales
	— Acres —		Pounds	Bales	— Acres —		Pounds	Bales
McDuffie	120	80	360	60	110	110	436	100
Miller	960	890	421	780	1,200	1,170	829	2,020
Mitchell	6,800	6,430	747	10,000	5,400	5,280	845	9,300
Montgomery	240	200	528	220	320	320	300	200
Morgan	1,450	1,400	257	750	1,300	1,300	443	1,200
Oconee	725	340	155	110	750	740	499	770
Peach	855	800	186	310	540	540	542	610
Pierce	140	130	369	100	210	190	556	220
Polk	800	700	631	920	2,150	2,120	521	2,300
Pulaski	12,700	11,100	270	6,250	11,200	11,100	597	13,800
Quitman	385	350	549	400	640	620	774	1,000
Randolph	1,620	1,600	342	1,140	1,700	1,660	772	2,670
Schley	125	125	422	110	120	115	710	170
Screven	1,600	1,470	366	1,120	1,300	1,250	434	1,130
Seminole	3,650	3,240	631	4,260	5,400	5,260	782	8,600
Stewart		1/			50	50	576	60
Sumter	2,660	2,400	500	2,500	1,400	1,360	882	2,500
Tattnall		1/			190	190	455	180
Taylor	335	245	206	105	300	295	765	470
Terrell	1,620	1,570	315	1,030	1,400	1,350	782	2,200
Thomas	6,100	5,800	724	8,750	9,200	8,980	882	16,500
Tift	3,750	3,620	590	4,450	9,600	9,420	688	13,500
Toombs		1/			270	270	480	270
Treutlen	65	50	240	25	150	150	320	100
Turner	5,050	4,580	332	3,170	5,200	5,100	584	6,200
Twiggs	1,110	1,060	217	480	830	780	400	650
Walton	300	100	408	85	230	220	458	210
Ware	445	415	706	610	180	180	760	285
Warren	420	270	267	150	340	340	409	290
Washington	1,720	595	484	600	1,600	1,580	431	1,420
Wayne	1,600	1,530	555	1,770	3,400	3,330	610	4,230
Webster		1/			160	160	300	100
Wheeler	230	180	240	90	300	300	416	260
Wilcox	6,800	5,000	490	5,100	7,600	7,450	622	9,650
Wilkinson	125	100	240	50	60	60	400	50
Worth	3,250	3,200	563	3,750	5,200	5,120	694	7,400
Other Counties 1/	585	125	422	110	70	70	274	40

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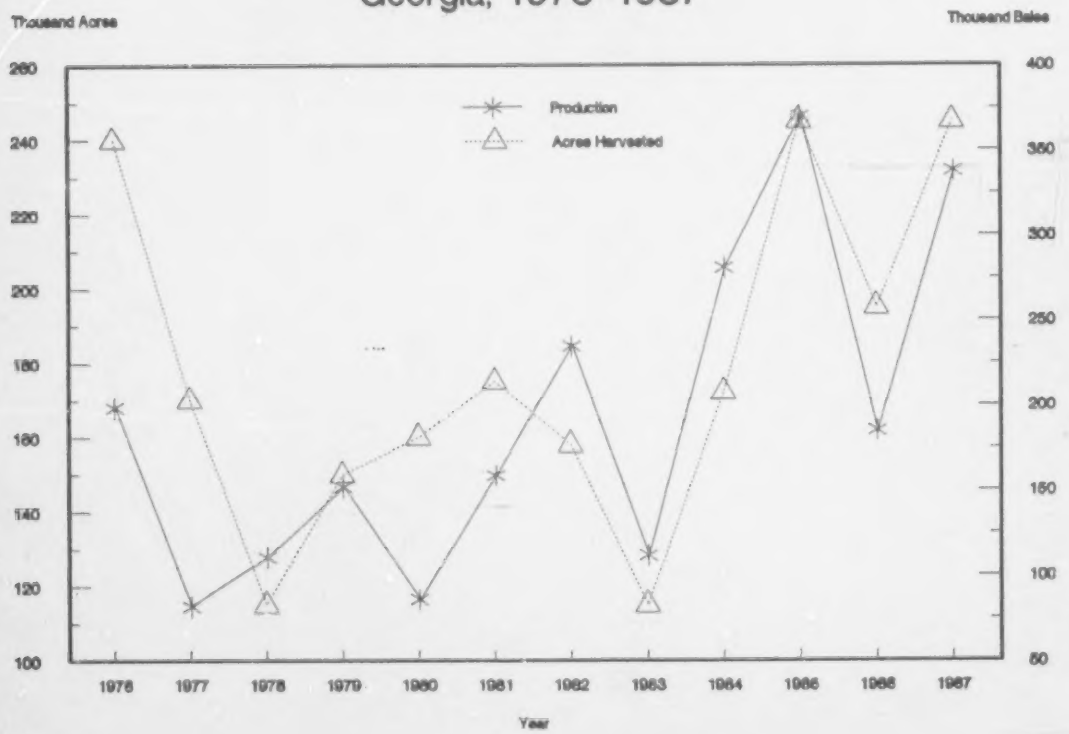
COTTON — Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts, and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harvested	Lint per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bales	Planted	Harvested	Lint per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bales
	— Acres —		Pounds	Bales	— Acres —		Pounds	Bales
District 1	2,880	2,550	570	3,030	5,700	5,620	555	6,500
District 2	1,150	480	205	205	1,000	980	490	1,000
District 3	3,110	1,920	211	842	3,000	2,950	488	3,000
District 4	3,060	2,560	397	2,115	2,600	2,550	753	4,000
District 5	32,800	27,100	321	18,145	30,600	30,000	523	32,700
District 6	23,400	20,800	281	12,173	21,500	21,000	491	21,500
District 7	39,000	35,700	637	47,350	47,300	46,200	842	81,000
District 8	116,600	101,200	465	97,985	133,000	130,500	669	182,000
District 9	3,000	2,690	563	3,155	5,300	5,200	582	6,300
State Total	225,000	195,000	455	185,000	250,000	245,000	662	338,000

COTTON – Acreage and Production, Georgia, 1976–1987



OATS — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Appling	400	370	24.9	9,200	480	230	52.2	12,000
Bacon	450	200	24.0	4,800	400	190	44.7	8,500
Baker	930	440	45.5	20,000	1,800	1,000	60.0	60,000
Banks	200	110	20.0	2,200	270	250	48.8	12,200
Bleckley	510	340	32.9	11,200	400	300	55.0	16,500
Brooks	760	610	32.0	19,500	750	450	56.7	25,500
Bulloch	590	300	31.7	9,500	580	300	53.3	16,000
Burke	1,200	600	40.0	24,000	1,000	500	54.0	27,000
Calhoun	380	350	22.9	8,000	400	320	50.0	16,000
Candler	140	120	25.0	3,000		1/		
Clay	130	130	38.5	5,000	120	100	58.0	5,800
Coffee	480	210	47.6	10,000	350	200	60.0	12,000
Colquitt	500	160	49.4	7,900	250	100	55.0	5,500
Coweta		1/			200	160	50.0	8,000
Crisp	400	380	52.6	20,000	300	170	55.9	9,500
Decatur	1,900	1,800	56.9	102,500	1,900	1,200	60.0	72,000
Dodge	350	240	27.5	6,600	280	150	56.7	8,500
Dooly	700	620	54.0	33,500	800	420	59.5	25,000
Dougherty	1,000	680	57.4	39,000	1,000	550	56.4	31,000
Early	340	290	47.2	13,700	500	300	55.0	16,500
Echols		1/			150	150	45.3	6,800
Elbert	900	300	30.0	9,000	700	150	48.7	7,300
Emanuel	840	160	27.5	4,400	800	550	56.4	31,000
Evans		1/			200	110	45.5	5,000
Floyd	680	250	44.0	11,000	700	180	50.0	9,000
Franklin	720	330	28.2	9,300	650	150	46.7	7,000
Glascock		1/			250	150	50.0	7,500
Grady	920	430	48.8	21,000	950	550	60.9	33,500
Hart	600	200	27.0	5,400	550	150	48.0	7,200
Henry		1/			300	240	56.3	13,500
Houston	1,900	1,800	44.0	79,200	1,000	800	58.8	47,000
Jackson	190	150	36.7	5,500		1/		
Jasper	190	140	47.1	6,600		1/		
Jefferson	2,100	1,700	35.3	60,000	1,500	1,000	59.0	59,000
Jenkins	600	210	24.8	5,200	550	200	50.0	10,000
Johnson	3,400	2,400	32.0	76,800	2,500	1,600	55.0	88,000
Jones	1,100	260	26.9	7,000	1,000	310	54.8	17,000
Lamar	170	130	26.2	3,400		1/		
Laurens	1,600	1,400	51.4	71,900	800	550	50.9	28,000
Lee	1,500	1,200	42.0	50,400	1,400	750	58.7	44,000
Lowndes	1,000	900	29.4	26,500	1,500	800	56.9	45,500
Macon	1,200	390	49.0	19,100	1,100	560	53.6	30,000
Madison	1,200	890	33.7	30,000	1,100	600	50.8	30,500
McDuffie	230	130	37.7	4,900	200	100	49.0	4,900
Miller	570	560	43.8	24,500	500	410	54.9	22,500
Mitchell	1,900	440	50.0	22,000	1,600	800	52.5	42,000
Montgomery	290	240	18.3	4,400	800	600	53.3	32,000
Morgan		1/			280	170	50.0	8,500

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OATS — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Oconee	230	190	52.6	10,000		1/		
Peach	1,300	480	38.5	18,500	800	550	50.9	28,000
Pierce	500	440	35.2	15,500	500	250	50.0	12,500
Pike	300	200	30.0	6,000	310	170	50.6	8,600
Randolph	160	140	33.6	4,700	200	170	56.5	9,600
Richmond	500	400	40.0	16,000	400	230	47.8	11,000
Screven	2,800	1,400	24.2	33,900	2,000	1,400	50.0	70,000
Seminole	1,000	490	53.1	26,000	920	400	61.3	24,500
Sumter	900	760	46.1	35,000	800	550	58.2	32,000
Tattnall		1/			200	100	65.0	6,500
Taylor		1/			170	120	54.2	6,500
Telfair	1,200	910	36.8	33,500	800	450	55.6	25,000
Terrell	520	500	60.2	30,100	500	300	51.7	15,500
Thomas	1,400	740	31.1	23,000	940	410	52.4	21,500
Toombs	450	400	30.9	12,350	350	250	46.0	11,500
Treutlen	300	190	24.7	4,700	550	250	52.0	13,000
Turner	500	460	41.7	20,000	500	300	56.7	17,000
Walton	300	170	42.4	7,200	250	180	52.8	9,500
Ware	380	350	40.0	14,000	350	140	47.9	6,700
Warren	360	230	38.3	8,800	350	250	50.0	12,500
Washington	1,200	1,100	26.0	28,600	2,500	1,900	61.1	116,000
Wayne	410	200	29.0	5,800	370	150	46.0	6,900
Webster	200	200	80.0	16,000	250	200	50.0	10,000
Wheeler	870	190	18.4	3,500	700	200	55.0	11,000
Wilcox		1/			350	270	55.6	15,000
Worth	990	770	45.5	35,000	900	600	61.7	37,000
Other Counties 1/	8,070	1,510	32.9	49,750	6,180	1,690	52.4	88,500

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OATS — Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels —	
District 1	1,300	300	43.3	13,000	1,300	300	50.0	15,000
District 2	1,300	600	45.0	27,000	1,200	400	50.0	20,000
District 3	4,400	2,000	32.0	64,000	3,900	1,400	49.3	69,000
District 4	3,400	900	37.2	33,500	3,300	1,500	53.0	79,500
District 5	15,000	9,100	36.3	330,000	13,000	7,800	56.0	436,500
District 6	10,000	5,400	31.9	172,000	8,000	4,800	53.1	255,000
District 7	14,000	9,200	48.0	442,000	14,000	8,100	57.0	461,500
District 8	7,300	5,300	40.7	215,500	7,200	4,200	57.1	240,000
District 9	3,300	2,200	30.9	68,000	3,100	1,500	49.0	73,500
STATE TOTAL	60,000	35,000	39.0	1,365,000	55,000	30,000	55.0	1,650,000

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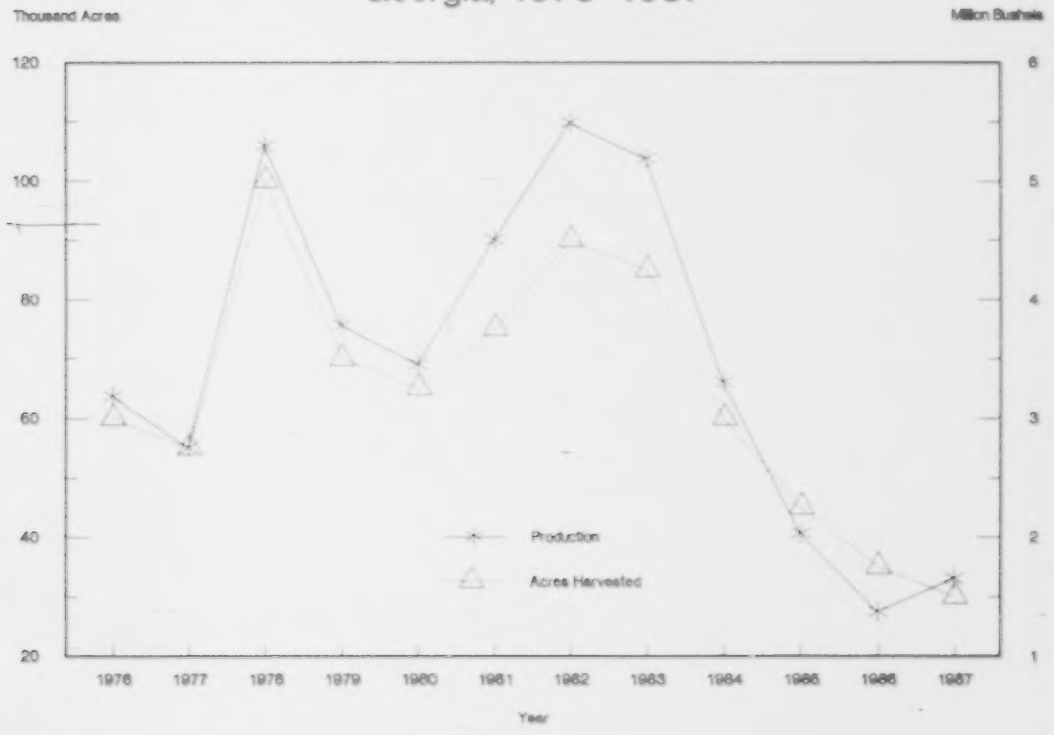

PEANUTS—Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986			1987		
	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	Acres	*— Pounds —*		*Acres*	*— Pounds —*	
Appling	70	3,329	233,000	105	2,590	272,000
Atkinson	2,370	2,835	6,719,000	3,920	2,230	8,743,000
Baker	19,620	2,765	54,259,000	16,330	2,945	48,092,000
Ben Hill	8,900	2,850	25,365,000	8,750	2,710	23,713,000
Berrien	10,540	2,955	31,142,000	13,020	2,240	29,170,000
Bleckley	6,340	2,635	16,706,000	6,040	2,415	14,589,000
Brooks	6,680	2,780	18,570,000	6,240	2,450	15,290,000
Bryan	300	2,797	839,000	285	2,400	684,000
Bulloch	19,740	2,425	47,870,000	17,930	2,610	46,797,000
Burke	5,480	2,650	14,522,000	5,710	3,085	17,618,000
Calhoun	17,290	1,970	34,063,000	17,490	2,360	41,280,000
Candler	1,920	2,330	4,474,000	1,750	2,475	4,331,000
Clay	10,250	2,240	22,955,000	10,150	2,030	20,609,000
Coffee	12,820	2,800	35,896,000	13,060	2,470	32,255,000
Colquitt	16,990	2,900	49,270,000	14,790	2,840	42,005,000
Cook	9,340	2,925	27,320,000	10,390	2,590	26,915,000
Crisp	24,030	1,265	30,398,000	22,400	1,965	44,027,000
Decatur	26,890	2,930	78,791,000	23,120	2,895	66,940,000
Dodge	8,740	2,555	22,331,000	8,630	2,350	20,277,000
Dooly	27,180	1,390	37,769,000	26,120	2,175	56,824,000
Dougherty	7,010	2,505	17,560,000	7,350	2,600	19,110,000
Early	32,700	2,500	81,737,000	30,900	2,600	80,347,000
Echols	50	3,940	197,000	105	3,190	335,000
Effingham	465	2,441	1,135,000	390	2,410	940,000
Emanuel	3,080	2,390	7,361,000	3,140	2,300	7,223,000
Evans	1,280	2,880	3,686,000	1,250	2,690	3,363,000
Grady	10,240	3,005	30,771,000	9,210	2,915	26,850,000
Houston	7,340	2,055	15,081,000	6,740	2,005	13,517,000
Irwin	24,860	2,715	67,495,000	22,760	2,520	57,365,000
Jeff Davis	835	1,731	1,445,000	350	2,020	707,000
Jefferson	2,670	2,490	6,648,000	2,620	2,210	5,789,000
Jenkins	4,000	2,375	9,500,000	3,410	2,510	8,558,000
Johnson	390	2,236	872,000	415	1,641	681,000
Lanier	225	2,467	555,000	95	2,284	217,000
Laurens	8,610	2,215	19,071,000	9,440	1,835	17,326,000
Lee	16,790	2,220	37,274,000	15,690	2,650	41,586,000
Lowndes	820	3,060	2,509,000	1,060	2,595	2,751,000
Macon	5,990	2,105	12,609,000	5,710	1,945	11,108,000
Marion	2,530	2,850	7,211,000	2,660	2,290	6,092,000
Miller	26,720	2,945	78,700,000	22,010	2,925	64,390,000
Mitchell	21,530	3,065	65,989,000	20,790	3,175	66,018,000
Montgomery	980	2,140	2,097,000	1,160	1,905	2,210,000
Peach	470	2,281	1,072,000	770	1,330	1,024,000
Pulaski	12,700	1,950	24,765,000	11,750	2,605	30,603,000
Quitman	1,320	2,655	3,505,000	1,420	1,425	2,024,000
Randolph	18,910	2,485	46,991,000	17,700	2,735	48,415,000
Richmond	255	1,557	397,000	300	1,800	540,000
Schley	2,570	2,570	6,605,000	2,630	2,245	5,904,000

PEANUTS—Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986			1987		
	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	Acres	*— Pounds —*		*Acres*	*— Pounds —*	
Screven	7,520	2,470	18,574,000	7,000	2,370	16,593,000
Seminole	22,550	2,830	63,817,000	19,280	2,655	51,198,000
Stewart	5,140	2,535	13,029,000	5,650	2,075	11,725,000
Sumter	17,340	2,600	45,084,000	16,280	2,980	48,522,000
Talbot	150	1,813	272,000	150	1,400	210,000
Tattnall	1,360	2,650	3,604,000	1,360	2,345	3,189,000
Taylor	2,000	2,685	5,370,000	2,150	1,835	3,945,000
Telfair	6,310	2,185	13,787,000	6,600	2,065	13,630,000
Terrell	22,440	2,085	46,787,000	20,600	2,390	49,244,000
Thomas	6,020	2,600	15,652,000	5,700	2,700	15,390,000
Tift	25,790	2,850	73,502,000	21,620	2,365	51,140,000
Toombs	1,890	2,345	4,432,000	1,900	2,380	4,522,000
Turner	24,080	2,145	51,649,000	23,960	2,330	55,825,000
Twiggs	1,640	2,575	4,223,000	1,800	1,995	3,591,000
Washington	1,830	2,340	4,283,000	1,890	1,855	3,506,000
Wayne	870	2,945	2,562,000	200	3,610	722,000
Webster	8,860	2,620	23,213,000	8,680	2,480	21,525,000
Wheeler	1,400	2,120	2,968,000	1,460	1,940	2,832,000
Wilcox	17,760	2,080	36,939,000	16,700	2,305	38,500,000
Wilkinson	685	3,085	2,113,000	590	1,825	1,077,000
Worth	38,450	2,295	88,243,000	38,360	2,415	92,658,000
Other Counties 1/	85	1,671	142,000	15	2,133	32,000

1/ Counties with less than 50 acres harvested not shown separately.

PEANUTS—Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts, and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986			1987		
	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	Acres	*— Pounds —*		*Acres*	*— Pounds —*	
District 4	13,240	2,422	32,067,000	13,300	2,050	27,259,000
District 5	51,160	2,261	115,648,000	50,700	2,195	111,265,000
District 6	45,150	2,448	110,528,000	42,250	2,565	108,389,000
District 7	291,620	2,607	760,177,000	268,350	2,695	723,265,000
District 8	258,030	2,321	598,770,000	250,300	2,365	592,070,000
District 9	5,800	2,653	15,385,000	5,100	2,500	12,752,000
STATE TOTAL	665,000	2,455	1,632,575,000	630,000	2,500	1,575,000,000

RYE — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Appling		1/			2,500	170	26.5	4,500
Atkinson	4,200	340	14.7	5,000	4,000	260	19.2	5,000
Baker	8,600	1,000	17.0	17,000	6,100	800	17.5	14,000
Baldwin	1,500	280	24.6	6,900	1,200	200	15.5	3,100
Ben Hill	2,800	480	20.4	9,800	2,200	400	23.0	9,200
Berrien		1/			1,500	200	22.5	4,500
Bibb	830	320	25.0	8,000	500	200	20.5	4,100
Bleckley	1,400	230	22.2	5,100	1,400	200	25.5	5,100
Brooks	6,400	500	27.0	13,500	5,200	400	27.5	11,000
Bulloch	5,800	1,400	21.4	30,000	12,000	1,900	28.9	55,000
Burke	14,000	3,700	18.9	70,000	10,000	2,800	21.8	61,000
Calhoun	4,700	630	26.2	16,500	6,000	500	27.4	13,700
Candler	2,400	640	21.9	14,000	2,000	500	34.0	17,000
Clay	7,800	2,800	21.4	60,000	8,000	2,300	15.7	36,000
Coffee	7,800	710	21.8	15,500	7,000	600	20.0	12,000
Colquitt	6,500	600	21.7	13,000	6,000	520	21.2	11,000
Columbia		1/			400	100	14.0	1,400
Cook	1,600	120	18.3	2,200	1,600	110	21.8	2,400
Coweta	240	170	24.1	4,100		1/		
Crisp	5,600	2,100	15.7	33,000	5,500	1,400	25.7	36,000
Decatur	6,500	3,000	22.0	66,000	6,500	2,400	20.4	49,000
Dodge	7,500	1,500	19.0	28,500	7,000	1,300	23.1	30,000
Dooly	4,900	1,300	16.5	21,500	5,000	1,000	25.0	25,000
Dougherty	2,200	400	26.3	10,500	2,500	350	25.7	9,000
Early	10,000	1,100	23.6	26,000	9,000	900	23.3	21,000
Effingham	2,900	560	14.6	8,200	2,500	500	20.0	10,000
Emanuel	9,100	1,900	27.4	52,000	8,000	1,700	27.6	47,000
Evans	4,700	540	25.0	13,500	4,500	400	22.5	9,000
Floyd	1,670	310	23.9	7,400	1,600	250	19.6	4,900
Franklin	2,300	190	22.1	4,200	2,000	150	21.3	3,200
Glascock	3,900	2,000	23.3	46,500	2,900	1,500	18.7	28,000
Gordon	450	150	31.3	4,690	250	100	21.0	2,100
Grady	2,600	150	27.3	4,100	2,100	300	22.0	6,600
Hancock	2,600	100	20.5	2,050		1/		
Harris	710	290	16.9	4,900	400	150	16.0	2,400
Hart	1,700	530	25.5	13,500	1,400	450	26.7	12,000
Houston	1,800	340	20.9	7,100	1,300	240	20.8	5,000
Irwin	14,000	1,300	24.6	32,000	12,000	2,800	18.9	53,000
Jeff Davis	1,800	220	20.9	4,600	1,500	200	21.5	4,300
Jefferson	12,000	3,500	17.7	62,000	10,000	3,000	22.7	68,000
Jenkins	5,400	1,600	16.6	26,500	5,000	1,500	24.0	36,000
Johnson	7,400	2,000	16.0	32,000	7,000	1,500	22.0	33,000
Lamar	700	250	24.4	6,100	800	100	20.0	2,000
Lanier	2,500	350	25.1	8,800	2,200	300	26.0	7,800
Laurens	7,800	2,000	22.3	44,500	6,000	1,500	18.7	28,000
Lee	7,100	4,200	21.8	91,500	6,700	3,500	21.7	76,000
Lowndes	6,600	680	29.4	20,000	6,000	500	28.0	14,000
Macon	7,600	690	17.7	12,200	6,600	660	24.2	16,000

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RYE — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Madison	1,900	330	21.6	7,120	1,800	200	20.0	4,000
Marion	3,800	500	15.8	7,890	3,000	350	20.0	7,000
McDuffie	1,500	250	20.0	5,000	1,000	200	15.0	3,000
Meriwether	520	190	20.5	3,900	450	150	24.0	3,600
Miller	12,500	2,800	25.2	70,500	12,500	2,100	24.8	52,000
Mitchell	13,000	1,300	21.9	28,500	9,500	1,100	13.6	15,000
Montgomery	2,000	260	24.6	6,400	1,700	150	14.0	2,100
Oglethorpe	2,700	1,100	24.1	26,500	2,400	750	25.3	19,000
Peach	2,300	860	30.2	26,000	2,200	530	26.4	14,000
Pulaski	4,600	1,000	22.0	22,000	4,300	600	21.7	13,000
Quitman	3,100	1,000	26.0	26,000	2,800	830	19.3	16,000
Randolph	1,900	530	16.2	8,600	2,000	430	21.6	9,300
Richmond	2,700	570	19.3	11,000	3,000	500	19.2	9,600
Schley	1,400	970	10.1	9,800	1,200	300	17.3	5,200
Screven	12,000	3,000	16.8	50,500	10,000	2,700	20.4	55,000
Seminole	9,800	3,700	19.3	71,300	7,400	2,500	23.2	58,000
Spalding	1,500	730	21.9	16,000	1,500	500	15.0	7,500
Stewart	1,700	450	28.9	13,000	2,700	370	23.5	8,700
Sumter	6,000	1,100	20.9	23,000	5,500	900	21.1	19,000
Talbot	420	330	15.2	5,000	400	140	20.0	2,800
Tattnall	2,300	160	21.3	3,400	2,500	190	22.1	4,200
Taylor	1,000	380	15.3	5,800	900	240	17.9	4,300
Telfair	2,800	560	21.4	12,000	2,800	400	21.3	8,500
Terrell	4,100	800	25.6	20,500	2,000	700	28.6	20,000
Thomas	1,100	110	22.7	2,500		1/		
Tift	6,400	340	29.1	9,900	6,000	350	25.7	9,000
Treutlen	2,300	580	10.0	5,800	2,000	400	18.8	7,500
Troup	840	220	14.5	3,200	400	150	19.3	2,900
Turner	15,000	2,900	19.0	55,000	14,000	2,500	19.6	49,000
Warren	5,400	1,300	29.7	38,600	2,200	1,100	22.7	25,000
Washington	15,000	2,600	17.1	44,500	12,500	2,000	17.0	34,000
Wayne	1,400	210	26.2	5,500	1,400	140	20.7	2,900
Webster	4,300	430	23.3	10,000	4,000	430	25.6	11,000
Wheeler	7,100	450	18.4	8,300	4,000	300	19.7	5,900
Wilcox	10,500	1,900	22.6	43,000	10,000	1,500	24.7	37,000
Wilkinson	3,200	240	20.8	5,000	2,000	200	21.0	4,200
Worth	11,500	2,000	23.8	47,500	11,000	1,500	26.0	39,000
Other Counties 1/	24,820	1,680	25.0	42,050	23,100	1,790	24.3	43,500

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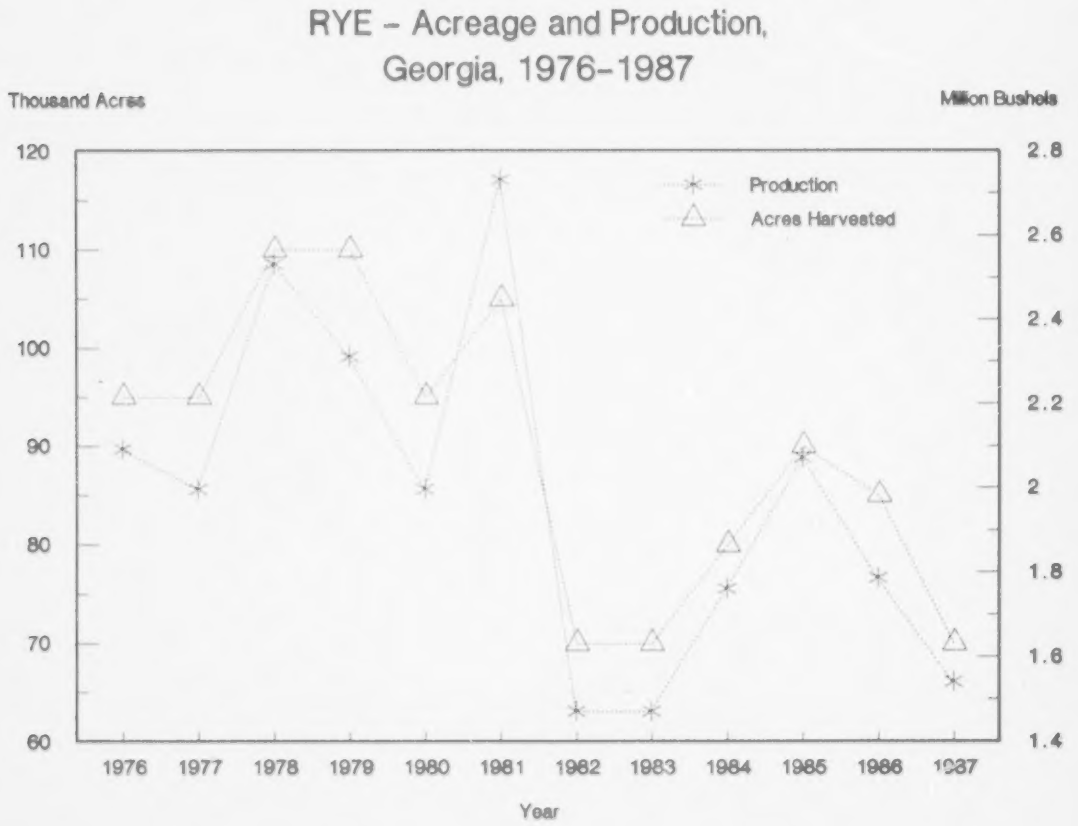
RYE—Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
District 1	2,900	540	25.0	13,500	2,400	500	20.0	10,000
District 2	3,100	460	28.3	13,000	3,100	400	27.5	11,000
District 3	10,000	2,400	24.8	59,500	9,000	1,800	25.0	45,000
District 4	20,500	4,900	16.8	82,500	17,500	3,000	19.7	59,000
District 5	71,000	13,000	19.9	258,500	59,000	9,600	20.4	196,000
District 6	77,500	20,500	20.3	416,000	69,000	18,000	23.1	416,000
District 7	107,000	25,500	22.2	565,500	96,000	20,500	21.3	437,000
District 8	113,000	16,500	21.1	348,500	104,000	15,000	22.6	339,000
District 9	20,000	1,200	23.3	28,000	20,000	1,200	22.5	27,000
STATE TOTAL	425,000	85,000	21.0	1,785,000	380,000	70,000	22.0	1,540,000



SORGHUM GRAIN — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Appling	2,500	1,200	35.0	42,000	1,800	590	36.4	21,500
Atkinson	150	120	22.5	2,700	130	100	33.0	3,300
Bacon	910	400	32.5	13,000	750	270	38.9	10,500
Baker	3,100	1,700	46.9	79,800	1,200	1,100	28.2	31,000
Barrow		1/			500	140	8.6	1,200
Bartow	3,500	3,300	46.7	154,000	1,900	860	50.0	43,000
Ben Hill	200	130	29.2	3,800	220	170	46.5	7,900
Berrien	980	800	28.8	23,000	550	410	52.5	21,500
Bleckley	810	520	26.0	13,500	700	400	31.3	12,500
Brooks	1,800	920	42.4	39,000	1,400	1,200	36.3	43,500
Bulloch	2,300	1,500	29.7	44,500	1,600	940	72.9	68,500
Burke	1,600	200	22.0	4,400	1,200	460	44.6	20,500
Calhoun	800	750	30.9	23,200	1,100	1,100	29.1	32,000
Candler	400	260	22.7	5,900	340	250	52.0	13,000
Carroll	500	220	23.2	5,100	390	270	35.9	9,700
Chattooga	1,300	480	28.1	13,500	500	280	41.1	11,500
Clarke	820	730	33.6	24,500	520	400	31.3	12,500
Clay	4,900	4,700	31.3	146,900	3,900	3,800	38.7	147,000
Coffee	1,700	1,500	35.0	52,500	640	290	26.2	7,600
Colquitt	2,900	1,200	26.7	32,000	2,400	1,300	45.0	58,500
Cook	270	200	32.5	6,500	200	150	16.0	2,400
Coweta	350	260	30.0	7,800		1/		
Crisp	1,400	830	18.1	15,000	890	800	31.3	25,000
Decatur		1/			480	210	50.0	10,500
Dodge	1,100	800	31.9	25,500	800	140	35.7	5,000
Dooly	920	240	17.5	4,200	800	700	22.1	15,500
Dougherty	1,700	680	25.0	17,000	1,400	1,300	38.8	50,500
Early	2,300	1,100	54.3	59,700	2,000	1,900	61.8	117,500
Effingham	310	260	23.5	6,100	600	390	25.1	9,800
Elbert	3,000	1,600	31.3	50,100	2,200	710	34.5	24,500
Emanuel	5,000	3,200	32.0	102,500	2,600	1,600	40.9	65,500
Evans	400	260	37.3	9,700	250	190	32.1	6,100
Floyd	1,400	1,300	20.0	26,000	800	500	37.0	18,500
Forsyth		1/			230	130	39.2	5,100
Franklin	1,400	440	20.7	9,100	1,300	450	31.1	14,000
Fulton	390	360	31.9	11,500		1/		
Glascock	330	100	25.0	2,500		1/		
Gordon	2,400	2,300	63.6	146,200	1,000	720	45.8	33,000
Grady	830	250	56.0	14,000	660	390	47.4	18,500
Greene		1/			740	140	32.9	4,600
Hall		1/			560	150	40.0	6,000
Hart	4,000	2,100	30.4	63,900	2,300	890	33.1	29,500
Henry	890	500	27.0	13,500	750	290	30.0	8,700
Houston	1,200	800	31.9	25,500	850	370	23.0	8,500
Irwin	460	280	28.9	8,100	250	240	45.8	11,000
Jackson	1,200	640	24.2	15,500	590	390	14.9	5,800
Jeff Davis	570	260	26.9	7,000	410	310	41.9	13,000
Jefferson	2,700	460	20.9	9,600	1,400	400	46.3	18,500

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SORGHUM GRAIN — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia– 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Jenkins	4,500	520	27.9	14,500	4,300	600	47.5	28,500
Johnson	900	450	24.4	11,000	730	360	30.6	11,000
Jones		1/			1,100	200	25.5	5,100
Lamar	2,100	1,300	28.1	36,500	1,900	870	27.0	23,500
Laurens	3,400	2,500	25.8	64,500	1,300	580	38.8	22,500
Lee	5,800	2,400	15.3	36,600	3,100	2,400	42.7	102,500
Lowndes	1,200	300	38.3	11,500	680	410	26.8	11,000
Macon	2,300	650	23.1	15,000	1,700	530	56.6	30,000
Madison	3,000	1,300	25.5	33,100	850	320	25.6	8,200
Marion	280	160	20.0	3,200		1/		
Meriwether		1/			360	280	50.0	14,000
Miller	2,100	2,000	46.3	92,500	2,300	2,200	45.9	101,000
Mitchell	380	230	18.3	4,200	320	100	54.0	5,400
Monroe	800	200	39.5	7,900	910	100	20.0	2,000
Montgomery	870	520	26.9	14,000	540	280	24.3	6,800
Morgan	540	220	23.2	5,100		1/		
Murray	470	400	37.5	15,000		1/		
Newton	900	270	28.1	7,600		1/		
Oconee	2,200	1,100	27.7	30,500	2,800	1,400	30.7	43,000
Oglethorpe	3,300	1,600	15.3	24,500	2,400	780	19.2	15,000
Peach	810	270	42.6	11,500	620	220	45.5	10,000
Pierce	1,100	360	34.7	12,500	950	590	43.2	25,500
Pike	1,900	1,200	35.4	42,500	1,600	600	26.7	16,000
Polk	810	200	40.5	8,100	490	200	55.0	11,000
Pulaski	700	220	22.3	4,900	440	100	31.0	3,100
Randolph	1,500	770	26.0	20,000	1,300	1,200	48.8	58,500
Schley	300	200	33.5	6,700		1/		
Screven	1,700	570	30.9	17,600	560	250	60.0	15,000
Seminole	2,400	2,200	62.7	137,900	1,500	1,500	54.0	81,000
Spalding	910	330	19.1	6,300	330	100	16.0	1,600
Stewart	680	600	57.0	34,200	440	430	37.2	16,000
Sumter	2,100	1,800	26.8	48,200	880	750	41.3	31,000
Tattnall	1,600	220	22.7	5,000	1,500	490	42.9	21,000
Taylor	790	420	25.0	10,500	900	350	41.4	14,500
Telfair	1,900	1,700	36.5	62,000	2,000	1,300	41.2	53,500
Terrell	1,800	1,100	27.3	30,000	990	950	45.8	43,500
Thomas	2,000	830	47.0	39,000	1,200	940	46.8	44,000
Tift	670	460	38.0	17,500	550	440	28.4	12,500
Toombs	2,300	1,000	28.0	28,000	1,300	1,000	33.0	33,000
Treutlen	670	490	22.4	11,000	450	360	43.1	15,500
Turner	1,700	1,300	36.5	47,500	1,700	1,600	37.5	60,000
Twiggs	900	650	20.8	13,500	700	280	25.4	7,100
Walker	800	730	37.0	27,000	400	340	38.2	13,000
Walton	900	460	38.0	17,500	420	300	40.0	12,000
Ware	400	180	25.0	4,500		1/		
Warren	980	700	37.9	26,500	820	340	26.2	8,900
Washington	1,800	740	22.3	16,500	1,200	290	21.7	6,300
Wayne	2,500	980	33.2	32,500	2,100	760	57.2	43,500

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County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Webster	300	280	26.4	7,400	190	190	55.3	10,500
Wheeler	1,300	440	31.8	14,000	860	480	33.3	16,000
Whitfield	350	160	48.8	7,800	210	120	51.7	6,200
Wilcox	2,400	1,500	30.0	45,000	1,700	1,100	39.5	43,500
Wilkes	930	100	48.0	4,800	670	200	36.5	7,300
Wilkinson	520	110	19.1	2,100	350	210	34.8	7,300
Worth	2,600	1,200	30.0	36,000	1,900	1,400	46.1	64,500
Other Counties 1/	9,250	1,560	27.6	43,000	7,690	1,420	38.4	54,500

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District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
District 1	11,500	9,000	44.8	403,000	5,800	3,200	44.7	143,000
District 2	7,000	3,600	30.0	108,000	6,300	3,100	30.2	93,500
District 3	16,000	7,200	26.0	187,000	10,000	3,400	29.4	100,000
District 4	11,500	5,500	28.1	154,500	9,400	3,600	36.4	131,000
District 5	21,000	9,600	26.9	258,500	15,500	4,800	32.0	153,500
District 6	20,500	7,900	29.9	236,500	14,000	5,400	47.2	255,000
District 7	33,500	21,500	36.9	792,500	23,000	20,500	44.0	901,000
District 8	22,000	13,000	31.9	415,000	17,000	12,000	38.2	458,000
District 9	12,000	4,700	32.1	151,000	9,000	4,000	41.3	165,000
STATE TOTAL	155,000	82,000	33.0	2,706,000	110,000	60,000	40.0	2,400,000

SOYBEANS — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Appling	24,500	19,500	19.6	382,500	16,500	16,000	23.6	377,000
Atkinson	5,500	3,800	24.3	92,500	3,800	3,400	21.5	73,000
Bacon	14,000	8,200	17.9	147,000	7,500	7,400	22.3	165,000
Baker	9,400	6,800	24.9	169,000	8,900	8,600	18.2	156,500
Baldwin	2,100	1,500	14.8	22,200	600	380	16.3	6,200
Banks		1/			280	270	13.0	3,500
Barrow	1,400	1,000	7.1	7,100	510	300	10.0	3,000
Bartow	22,500	18,500	22.3	413,000	21,000	20,500	16.8	344,500
Ben Hill	1,400	1,300	18.8	24,500	1,000	980	21.9	21,500
Berrien	15,000	10,500	20.5	215,500	10,000	9,600	21.9	210,500
Bibb	3,800	1,700	9.8	16,700	2,400	2,200	10.7	23,500
Bleckley	11,500	5,900	13.2	78,000	7,400	6,800	15.5	105,500
Brantley	1,000	450	17.3	7,800	710	580	19.8	11,500
Brooks	18,500	14,000	22.0	307,500	19,000	18,500	24.7	457,000
Bryan	3,300	2,700	12.0	32,500	3,100	3,000	25.3	76,000
Bulloch	57,000	45,000	17.0	764,500	44,500	43,500	26.8	1,166,500
Burke	52,500	39,500	14.1	555,500	41,000	39,500	18.7	740,500
Butts	1,500	900	8.6	7,700		1/		
Calhoun	8,500	3,600	10.0	36,000	5,500	5,400	21.9	118,000
Candler	21,000	15,500	16.0	247,500	13,500	13,000	26.8	348,500
Carroll	1,200	680	21.3	14,500	670	350	18.0	6,300
Catoosa	500	300	21.0	6,300	400	200	18.0	3,600
Chatham	610	510	15.7	8,000	300	300	28.0	8,400
Chattooga	6,500	5,700	18.2	104,000	4,900	4,000	17.1	68,500
Cherokee	230	100	15.0	1,500	240	100	25.0	2,500
Clarke	2,000	1,500	15.0	22,500	1,400	1,300	10.8	14,000
Clay	1,700	1,300	14.2	18,400	900	700	15.7	11,000
Clayton	350	200	29.0	5,800	170	100	20.0	2,000
Clinch		1/			200	100	21.0	2,100
Coffee	22,000	16,000	20.3	324,500	17,500	17,000	23.6	400,500
Colquitt	23,000	18,500	21.0	388,000	16,500	16,000	23.5	376,000
Columbia	200	100	18.0	1,800	100	100	20.0	2,000
Cook	9,000	6,900	21.8	150,500	4,300	4,200	22.1	93,000
Coweta	2,400	1,500	15.3	23,000	500	420	13.6	5,700
Crawford	8,000	2,200	8.9	19,500	3,500	3,400	16.2	55,000
Crisp	11,500	7,800	11.4	89,000	8,800	8,300	17.8	148,000
Dade	200	100	27.0	2,700	200	200	24.5	4,900
Dawson	180	120	28.3	3,400		1/		
Decatur	12,500	8,500	20.7	176,000	6,100	5,800	25.1	145,500
Dodge	18,500	11,000	15.0	165,500	6,300	5,800	18.0	104,500
Dooly	19,000	8,000	8.6	69,000	16,500	16,000	18.0	288,000
Dougherty	6,300	4,600	30.7	141,000	5,000	4,800	30.5	146,500
Douglas	160	100	18.0	1,800		1/		
Early	13,500	8,500	16.9	143,500	9,500	9,400	19.3	181,000
Echols	1,400	1,100	25.0	27,500	800	220	15.5	3,400
Effingham	14,000	11,000	19.1	210,500	5,800	5,400	23.5	127,000
Elbert	6,200	2,400	12.5	30,000	2,200	1,600	15.0	24,000
Emanuel	40,000	31,000	15.0	466,000	24,500	23,500	22.0	516,000

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SOYBEANS — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels —	
Evans	8,300	5,200	20.0	104,000	5,400	5,300	22.1	117,000
Fayette	1,000	400	11.8	4,700	270	260	15.4	4,000
Floyd	13,500	11,000	24.9	274,000	11,500	11,000	14.2	156,500
Forsyth	370	170	20.6	3,500	160	140	17.1	2,400
Franklin	5,500	2,100	13.0	27,200	3,400	2,800	12.0	33,500
Fulton	2,600	2,100	21.9	46,000	550	400	19.0	7,600
Glascock	4,600	3,100	14.3	44,200	2,900	2,400	10.8	26,000
Gordon	14,500	12,500	31.2	390,000	13,500	12,500	20.1	251,000
Grady	7,900	6,400	25.0	160,000	5,300	5,200	27.7	144,000
Gwinnett	900	310	14.8	4,600	190	160	13.1	2,100
Hancock	720	500	8.8	4,400	310	150	14.7	2,200
Haralson	1,100	340	13.8	4,700	460	360	15.0	5,400
Hart	5,000	3,400	14.7	50,000	2,600	2,200	11.0	24,100
Heard	570	250	14.4	3,600		1/		
Henry	1,700	1,000	7.7	7,700	1,900	1,800	11.4	20,500
Houston	24,500	15,000	10.2	153,500	14,500	10,500	12.9	135,000
Irwin	10,500	4,300	18.0	77,500	5,000	4,900	16.6	81,500
Jackson	1,500	860	13.4	11,500	1,100	730	12.5	9,100
Jeff Davis	17,500	13,000	21.3	276,500	9,600	9,300	21.2	197,000
Jefferson	40,000	29,000	15.5	450,500	28,000	26,500	18.2	483,000
Jenkins	19,000	13,000	11.5	150,000	13,000	12,500	18.9	236,000
Johnson	17,000	9,500	10.3	98,000	13,500	11,500	12.0	137,500
Jones	540	250	12.4	3,100	440	200	13.0	2,600
Lamar	600	430	10.9	4,700	480	460	18.7	8,600
Lanier	4,100	3,400	14.1	48,000	2,900	2,800	24.6	69,000
Laurens	46,000	28,500	12.7	363,000	31,000	27,500	13.7	377,000
Lee	6,800	4,200	16.3	68,500	6,500	6,300	23.3	146,500
Liberty	500	440	15.0	6,600	340	340	21.2	7,200
Long	2,200	1,400	19.0	26,600	900	860	23.8	20,500
Lowndes	19,500	15,500	24.3	376,500	12,500	12,000	24.1	289,000
Macon	24,000	14,500	11.3	164,500	15,500	15,000	16.8	252,000
Madison	7,000	2,900	11.2	32,500	2,400	2,000	8.7	17,300
Marion	2,700	1,400	12.9	18,000	1,700	1,600	13.8	22,000
McDuffie	2,500	1,300	9.2	12,000	1,200	1,100	11.8	13,000
Meriwether	3,100	1,500	11.5	17,300	1,200	1,100	16.0	17,600
Miller	11,500	6,600	17.8	117,500	5,800	5,500	20.7	114,000
Mitchell	10,300	8,500	19.5	165,500	6,900	6,900	26.1	180,000
Monroe	360	270	16.3	4,400	260	100	15.0	1,500
Montgomery	9,200	2,900	14.3	41,400	5,700	5,300	15.2	80,500
Morgan	4,000	2,600	14.3	37,100	2,000	1,900	21.0	39,900
Murray	9,200	7,500	21.5	161,500	6,400	6,100	15.7	95,500
Newton	4,000	1,100	13.2	14,500	1,900	1,700	11.8	20,000
Oconee	3,000	1,100	9.5	10,500	1,900	1,700	12.4	21,000
Oglethorpe	2,600	1,600	17.5	28,000	1,000	670	10.4	7,000
Peach	15,000	4,800	9.4	45,000	8,900	8,600	15.2	131,000
Pierce	16,000	9,600	20.0	192,000	12,500	12,000	25.0	299,500
Pike	2,400	1,400	11.8	16,500	1,500	1,400	18.9	26,500
Polk	8,500	7,100	16.8	119,500	4,300	4,200	15.1	63,500

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SOYBEANS — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties
Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Pulaski	12,500	5,600	13.6	76,000	6,000	5,600	20.4	114,000
Quitman		1/			200	200	20.0	4,000
Randolph	7,600	2,500	8.6	21,500	6,600	6,600	23.3	154,000
Richmond	2,400	1,500	9.3	14,000	1,900	1,700	17.9	30,500
Rockdale	400	100	15.0	1,500	200	200	7.0	1,400
Schley	2,700	1,800	15.6	28,000	1,400	1,300	19.2	25,000
Screven	29,500	21,500	17.1	367,500	24,000	23,000	22.7	522,500
Seminole	5,900	3,500	26.3	92,000	3,200	3,200	26.3	84,000
Spalding	2,900	1,600	11.9	19,000	1,300	1,200	17.1	20,500
Stewart	3,200	2,800	20.7	58,000	2,000	1,800	21.4	38,500
Sumter	26,500	18,000	15.4	278,000	23,500	23,000	19.6	450,500
Talbot	230	150	12.7	1,900		1/		
Tattnall	24,000	18,000	16.4	295,500	16,500	16,000	23.8	381,500
Taylor	7,300	5,600	15.2	85,000	3,400	3,200	14.1	45,000
Telfair	11,500	5,600	14.0	78,500	5,500	5,200	18.8	98,000
Terrell	14,500	10,000	9.8	98,000	11,000	10,500	17.1	180,000
Thomas	24,000	19,000	25.8	490,000	17,000	16,000	30.0	480,000
Tift	4,400	2,700	20.4	55,000	3,600	3,500	17.3	60,500
Toombs	8,100	5,100	15.0	76,500	6,200	5,800	21.2	123,000
Towns		1/			240	230	31.7	7,300
Treutlen	5,000	2,200	11.3	24,800	5,000	4,300	19.0	81,500
Turner	5,600	4,200	11.3	47,500	3,000	2,900	20.3	59,000
Twiggs	4,700	3,300	14.7	48,600	2,200	1,900	12.4	23,500
Upson	410	150	18.7	2,800	400	360	20.3	7,300
Walker	4,600	3,700	21.4	79,000	2,300	2,000	16.3	32,500
Walton	11,000	6,400	14.0	89,500	3,200	3,000	11.0	33,000
Ware	5,000	3,800	22.9	87,000	4,000	3,900	23.1	90,000
Warren	5,300	4,000	14.0	56,000	2,600	2,300	7.4	17,000
Washington	30,000	23,500	14.3	335,500	20,000	18,500	13.7	253,500
Wayne	7,400	4,600	17.6	81,000	12,000	11,500	17.3	199,000
Webster	1,700	700	10.9	7,600	1,100	1,100	13.6	15,000
Wheeler	12,000	5,000	12.4	62,000	9,500	7,000	19.7	138,000
Whitfield	5,000	3,600	21.1	76,000	2,500	2,300	13.5	31,000
Wilcox	6,400	4,100	13.4	55,000	3,100	3,000	18.3	55,000
Wilkes	530	100	13.0	1,300		1/		
Wilkinson	2,500	1,600	14.4	23,000	1,200	900	10.8	9,700
Worth	14,000	9,300	14.8	138,000	9,400	9,100	19.8	180,000
Other Counties 1/	1,840	420	17.9	7,500	1,020	580	17.4	10,100

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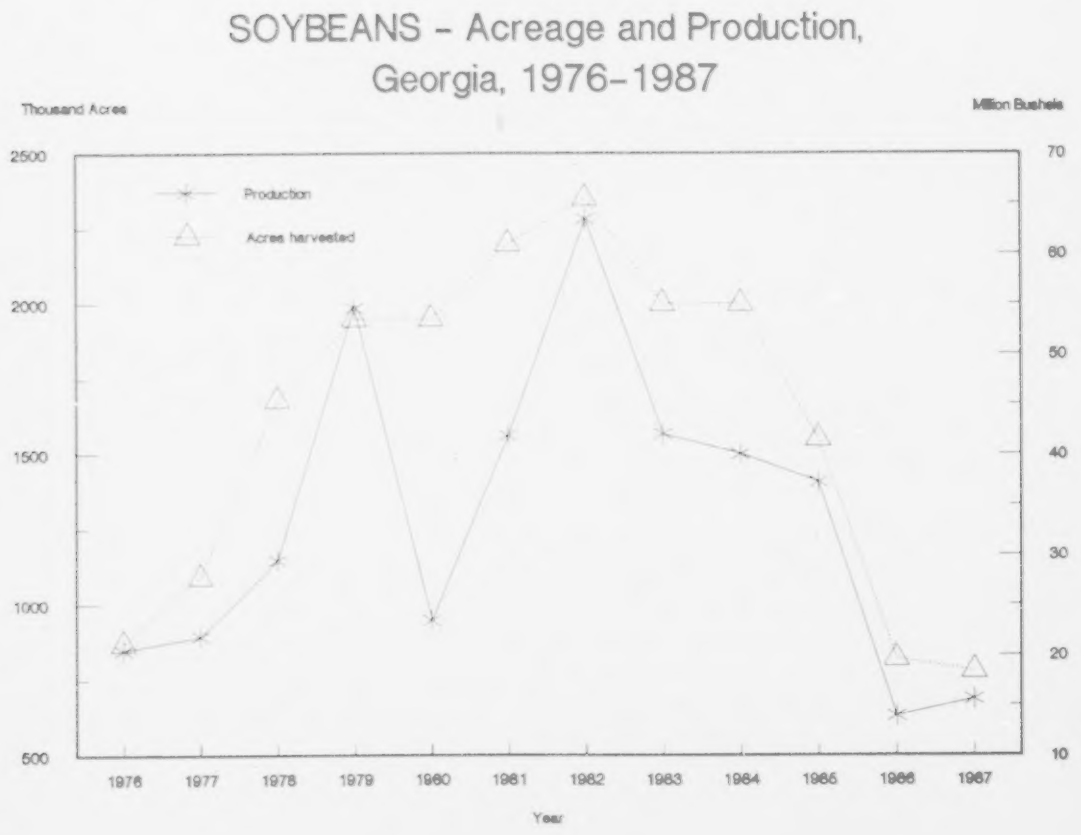
SOYBEANS—Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Beans	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
District 1	85,000	70,000	23.2	1,626,000	67,000	63,000	16.7	1,051,500
District 2	24,000	14,000	14.8	206,500	10,000	8,400	12.9	108,500
District 3	27,000	12,500	13.5	169,000	12,000	9,600	11.5	110,000
District 4	55,000	33,000	12.8	423,500	31,000	29,000	16.2	470,000
District 5	234,000	130,000	12.7	1,646,500	143,000	124,500	14.8	1,844,500
District 6	288,000	215,500	15.5	3,340,000	203,000	194,500	21.7	4,228,500
District 7	172,000	115,500	19.4	2,240,500	125,000	121,000	22.7	2,749,000
District 8	220,000	150,000	18.9	2,841,000	153,000	147,000	21.5	3,162,000
District 9	115,000	79,500	18.2	1,447,000	86,000	83,000	22.6	1,876,000
STATE TOTAL	1,220,000	820,000	17.0	13,940,000	830,000	780,000	20.0	15,600,000



TOBACCO—Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986			1987		
	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	Acres	*— Pounds —*		*Acres*	*— Pounds —*	
Appling	1,150	2,030	2,335,000	1,200	2,215	2,658,000
Atkinson	610	2,250	1,373,000	615	2,240	1,378,000
Bacon	1,030	1,960	2,019,000	1,080	2,210	2,387,000
Ben Hill	325	2,230	724,800	385	2,045	787,300
Berrien	1,860	2,255	4,194,000	1,870	2,330	4,357,000
Brantley	430	2,255	969,700	420	2,315	972,300
Brooks	885	2,220	1,965,000	860	2,385	2,051,000
Bryan	125	1,590	198,800	110	1,720	189,200
Bulloch	1,160	2,290	2,656,000	1,290	2,375	3,064,000
Candler	830	1,985	1,648,000	795	2,370	1,884,000
Charlton	60	2,320	139,200	75	2,025	151,900
Clinch	115	2,210	254,200	80	3,130	250,400
Coffee	2,040	2,305	4,702,000	2,230	2,220	4,951,000
Colquitt	2,610	2,145	5,598,000	2,470	2,270	5,607,000
Cook	1,420	2,140	3,039,000	1,290	2,400	3,096,000
Decatur	125	2,145	268,100	100	2,420	242,000
Dodge	125	1,985	248,100	165	1,860	306,900
Echols	105	2,395	251,500	125	2,005	250,600
Effingham	65	1,735	112,800	60	2,385	143,100
Emanuel	555	2,300	1,277,000	640	1,980	1,267,000
Evans	475	2,325	1,104,000	500	2,470	1,235,000
Grady	590	1,920	1,133,000	625	1,800	1,125,000
Irwin	1,060	2,140	2,268,000	1,060	2,275	2,412,000
Jeff Davis	880	2,290	2,015,000	710	3,090	2,194,000
Jenkins	70	2,175	152,300	70	2,095	146,700
Lanier	600	1,960	1,176,000	655	2,100	1,376,000
Laurens	100	1,715	171,500	125	1,980	247,500
Liberty	1/			65	850	55,300
Long	120	2,050	246,000	115	2,380	273,700
Lowndes	1,590	2,235	3,554,000	1,800	2,055	3,699,000
Mitchell	945	2,335	2,207,000	935	2,205	2,062,000
Montgomery	350	1,830	640,500	410	2,000	820,000
Pierce	1,350	2,405	3,247,000	1,500	2,415	3,623,000
Tattnall	1,360	2,340	3,182,000	1,460	2,160	3,154,000
Telfair	210	2,325	488,200	275	2,525	694,400
Thomas	660	2,400	1,584,000	670	2,330	1,561,000
Tift	1,210	2,435	2,946,000	1,270	2,275	2,889,000
Toombs	960	1,790	1,718,000	875	2,325	2,034,000
Treutlen	355	1,630	578,700	390	1,405	548,000
Turner	75	2,250	168,800	80	2,115	169,200
Ware	685	2,385	1,634,000	760	2,355	1,790,000
Wayne	615	2,275	1,399,000	670	2,385	1,598,000
Wheeler	140	1,970	275,800	235	2,145	504,100
Wilcox	65	2,195	142,700	75	2,670	200,300
Worth	790	2,100	1,659,000	715	2,185	1,562,000
Other Counties 1/	120	1,886	226,300	95	2,033	193,100

1/ Counties with less than 50 acres harvested not shown separately.

TOBACCO—Acreage, Yield and Production by Agricultural Statistics Districts, and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986			1987		
	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production
	Acres	*— Pounds —*		*Acres*	*— Pounds —*	
District 5	1,100	1,791	1,970,300	1,355	1,832	2,482,000
District 6	2,720	2,177	5,920,500	2,895	2,272	6,588,600
District 7	2,338	2,233	5,220,700	2,340	2,140	5,009,400
District 8	16,462	2,220	36,543,300	16,580	2,289	37,958,600
District 9	8,380	2,176	18,235,200	8,830	2,279	20,121,400
STATE TOTAL	31,000	2,190	67,890,000	32,000	2,255	72,160,000

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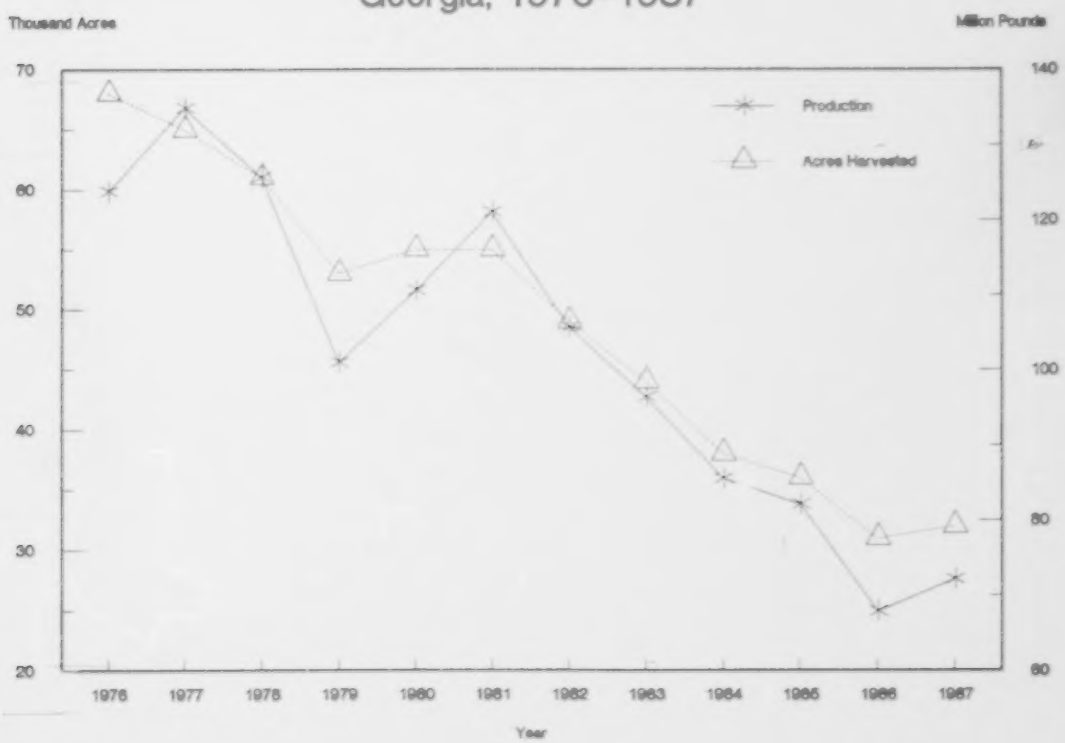

WHEAT — Acreage, Yield and Production by Counties, Georgia, 1986–1987

County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Appling	4,000	3,600	36.1	130,000	2,900	2,700	29.8	80,500
Atkinson	900	850	29.4	25,000	290	220	15.0	3,300
Bacon	1,000	960	28.1	27,000	1,000	790	22.2	17,500
Baker	4,000	3,900	37.3	145,500	3,500	3,100	37.1	115,000
Baldwin	1,300	1,100	21.8	24,000	890	610	34.4	21,000
Banks	210	110	20.9	2,300	200	110	19.1	2,100
Barrow	310	200	31.0	6,200	400	100	34.0	3,400
Bartow	2,800	2,200	29.1	64,000	1,000	540	33.3	18,000
Ben Hill	1,200	420	39.3	16,500	400	350	32.9	11,500
Berrien	2,300	2,200	40.2	88,500	1,900	1,800	36.1	65,000
Bibb	1,500	1,300	25.4	33,000	1,100	360	31.9	11,500
Bleckley	9,100	7,800	24.0	187,000	8,100	7,100	30.0	213,000
Brantley		1/			150	150	26.0	3,900
Brooks	4,500	4,300	28.4	122,000	4,000	3,900	39.9	155,500
Bryan	520	200	28.0	5,600	1,100	1,000	35.0	35,000
Bulloch	13,500	13,000	28.5	371,000	11,000	9,600	32.4	311,000
Burke	21,000	16,500	25.0	412,000	14,500	14,000	31.4	440,000
Butts	1,200	840	25.0	21,000	610	410	24.1	9,900
Calhoun	9,600	8,800	34.0	299,500	9,600	8,800	37.2	327,000
Candler	4,300	3,900	17.3	67,500	4,100	3,700	30.9	114,500
Carroll	800	570	16.7	9,500	690	570	40.4	23,000
Catoosa	340	210	24.8	5,200	340	250	22.0	5,500
Chattooga	870	730	32.9	24,000	320	130	33.1	4,300
Clarke	1,000	920	32.6	30,000	700	580	33.6	19,500
Clay	4,500	4,200	35.1	147,500	4,000	3,200	33.3	106,500
Clayton	350	290	37.9	11,000		1/		
Coffee	4,000	3,000	30.7	92,000	3,200	1,900	26.3	50,000
Colquitt	6,800	6,500	36.9	240,000	8,000	6,700	34.2	229,000
Columbia	440	210	28.6	6,000	800	630	26.2	16,500
Cook	1,300	790	31.6	25,000	930	870	31.0	27,000
Coweta	2,300	2,200	26.4	58,000	1,300	540	19.4	10,500
Crawford	7,500	6,800	21.5	146,000	5,600	4,700	30.6	144,000
Crisp	10,500	8,900	28.0	249,000	9,500	8,900	33.0	293,500
Decatur	6,200	5,700	38.0	216,500	7,000	4,100	40.1	164,500
Dodge	10,500	8,700	25.0	217,500	8,600	7,100	23.5	166,500
Dooly	20,000	18,500	25.0	463,000	18,500	18,000	33.1	596,500
Dougherty	5,500	5,300	44.1	233,500	4,100	3,900	32.8	128,000
Early	10,000	9,300	39.0	363,000	12,500	8,800	36.3	319,500
Echols		1/			220	210	36.2	7,600
Effingham	970	650	23.1	15,000	1,100	800	26.9	21,500
Elbert	3,300	2,900	25.2	73,000	3,600	2,900	28.3	82,000
Emanuel	13,500	9,300	19.4	180,000	10,000	8,100	29.3	237,500
Evans	1,700	1,600	20.3	32,500	1,800	1,700	27.9	47,500
Fayette	600	350	30.0	10,500	580	410	20.5	8,400
Floyd	900	800	31.3	25,000	1,200	1,000	26.5	26,500
Forsyth	670	600	25.8	15,500	700	520	28.8	15,000
Franklin	2,800	1,500	21.7	32,500	3,000	1,300	28.8	37,500
Fulton	350	290	29.0	8,400		1/		

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County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels —	
Glascock	880	610	20.5	12,500	1,300	1,200	27.5	33,000
Gordon	3,800	3,400	32.1	109,000	3,200	1,900	32.1	61,000
Grady	3,800	3,600	37.1	133,500	4,500	4,100	32.6	133,500
Greene	340	130	39.2	5,100		1/		
Gwinnett	330	270	29.3	7,900		1/		
Habersham	260	100	30.0	3,000		1/		
Hall	320	220	28.6	6,300	610	180	32.2	5,800
Hancock	730	500	28.0	14,000	760	580	28.4	16,500
Haralson	310	150	24.0	3,600	400	200	32.5	6,500
Harris	560	320	20.9	6,700	630	100	26.0	2,600
Hart	10,500	9,300	27.6	257,000	6,300	4,900	31.9	156,500
Heard	860	600	29.0	17,400	700	630	39.7	25,000
Henry	4,100	2,800	27.1	76,000	3,500	2,700	29.1	78,500
Houston	18,000	16,000	30.0	480,000	13,000	12,000	32.3	388,000
Irwin	4,000	3,400	27.8	94,500	3,500	3,300	26.4	87,000
Jackson	3,400	2,700	42.4	114,500	3,200	2,100	34.8	73,000
Jasper	1,300	1,200	31.3	37,500	1,200	1,100	36.8	40,500
Jeff Davis	3,000	2,600	21.2	55,000	3,000	2,600	23.5	61,000
Jefferson	20,500	19,500	25.4	495,000	16,000	15,000	32.0	479,500
Jenkins	11,000	9,400	25.0	235,000	8,000	6,900	32.8	226,500
Johnson	9,400	8,000	17.9	143,000	8,500	7,100	23.0	163,000
Jones	1,400	180	22.8	4,100	1,500	530	26.4	14,000
Lamar	1,300	1,200	35.4	42,500	1,200	600	33.3	20,000
Lanier	370	350	32.9	11,500		1/		
Laurens	22,000	17,500	22.5	393,000	18,000	13,500	22.6	305,500
Lee	10,500	10,000	37.0	370,000	9,100	8,600	28.9	248,500
Lincoln	360	110	34.5	3,800	290	100	33.0	3,300
Long	480	450	26.7	12,000	220	200	19.5	3,900
Lowndes	3,000	2,200	30.2	66,500	1,500	1,100	27.7	30,500
Macon	27,000	24,500	25.2	617,500	21,000	16,500	33.7	556,500
Madison	6,100	5,400	29.0	156,500	4,000	3,600	25.6	92,000
Marion	4,200	2,800	20.2	56,500	4,100	3,500	22.1	77,500
McDuffie	910	830	16.9	14,000	1,000	590	22.0	13,000
Meriwether	2,000	1,700	22.4	38,000	1,300	970	20.6	20,000
Miller	7,800	7,100	34.9	248,000	7,800	7,200	30.1	216,500
Mitchell	6,300	5,900	31.7	187,000	5,300	4,700	33.9	159,500
Monroe	1,300	900	21.1	19,000	740	400	27.5	11,000
Montgomery	5,500	5,000	19.8	99,000	6,000	4,800	24.1	115,500
Morgan	4,500	3,600	27.8	100,000	4,000	2,200	36.1	79,500
Murray	1,500	1,400	32.1	45,000	800	620	26.6	16,500
Newton	2,000	1,500	30.3	45,500	1,900	1,200	31.7	38,000
Oconee	2,500	2,200	27.5	60,500	1,900	1,300	30.4	39,500
Oglethorpe	4,300	3,100	38.9	120,500	2,400	1,600	21.6	34,500
Peach	15,000	13,500	31.9	431,000	13,000	12,500	32.9	411,000
Pierce	690	480	40.6	19,500	420	310	33.9	10,500
Pike	3,600	1,900	30.3	57,500	2,600	1,400	24.3	34,000
Polk	1,100	790	20.3	16,000	1,100	660	18.2	12,000
Pulaski	7,900	6,400	23.0	147,000	8,900	7,900	27.5	217,500

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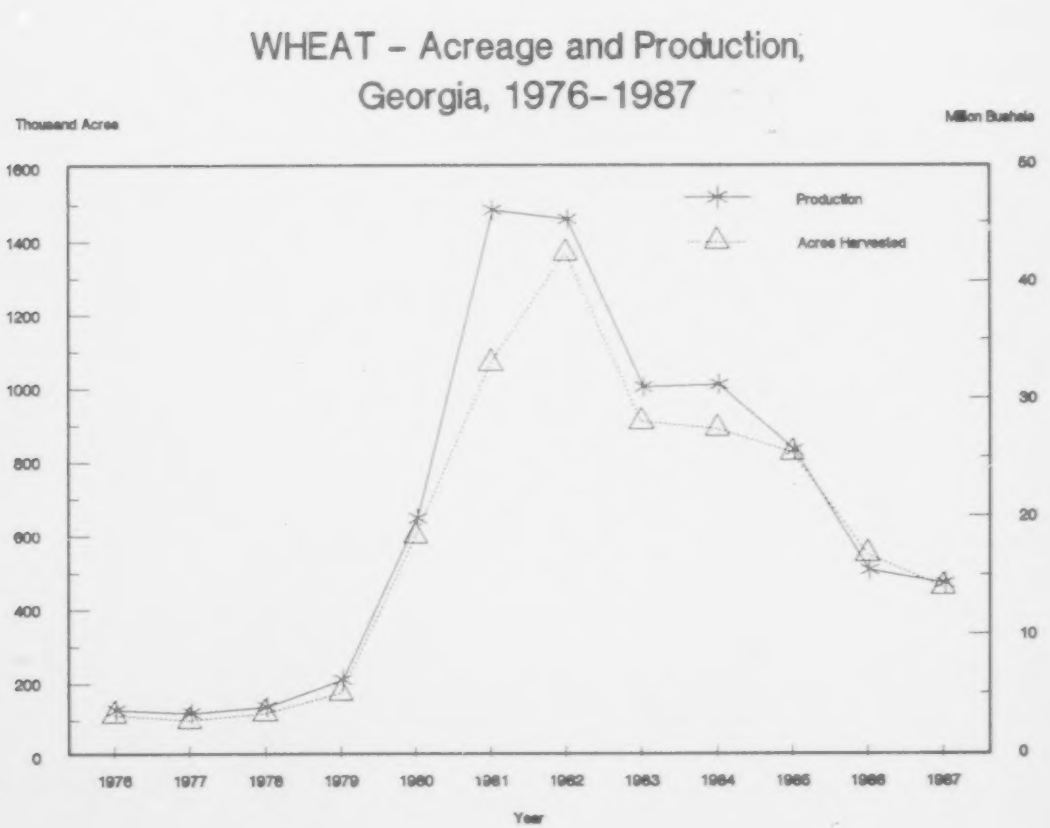
County	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Production
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
Putnam	380	160	37.5	6,000	880	330	36.4	12,000
Quitman	300	300	30.0	9,000	300	300	38.3	11,500
Randolph	9,700	8,800	31.7	279,000	9,000	8,400	37.9	318,000
Richmond	1,400	1,300	27.3	35,500	1,100	780	27.6	21,500
Schley	3,900	3,600	28.6	103,000	3,200	2,600	28.8	75,000
Screven	15,000	14,000	18.0	252,000	12,000	11,500	22.9	263,500
Seminole	5,300	5,100	45.1	230,000	4,900	4,700	35.2	165,500
Spalding	2,700	2,000	30.3	60,500	1,800	970	36.1	35,000
Stewart	3,900	3,500	42.9	150,000	4,300	4,100	37.6	154,000
Sumter	19,500	18,500	31.0	573,000	19,000	18,500	37.0	685,000
Talbot	300	250	35.2	8,800	250	190	29.5	5,600
Taliaferro	200	120	27.5	3,300		1/		
Tattnall	10,000	7,700	20.5	158,000	10,000	7,100	24.6	174,500
Taylor	7,000	6,000	28.8	173,000	5,900	5,200	24.9	129,500
Telfair	9,600	8,800	21.2	186,500	8,500	6,200	24.1	149,500
Terrell	24,000	21,500	28.8	619,000	19,000	18,000	34.4	619,500
Thomas	7,200	6,800	35.3	240,000	5,600	5,100	34.3	175,000
Tift	3,200	2,600	40.0	104,000	4,000	2,700	26.1	70,500
Toombs	7,300	6,800	27.8	189,000	6,400	5,200	29.3	152,500
Treutlen	2,400	1,600	16.3	26,000	2,700	1,100	26.4	29,000
Troup	350	130	25.4	3,300	300	110	28.2	3,100
Turner	6,400	5,500	28.9	159,000	6,000	5,900	26.0	153,500
Twiggs	4,600	2,700	21.9	59,000	3,000	1,800	25.6	46,000
Upson	2,200	1,600	25.0	40,000	2,000	1,800	22.2	40,000
Walker	1,600	1,200	32.9	39,500	1,400	1,100	31.8	35,000
Walton	6,200	5,600	26.4	148,000	2,800	1,700	25.9	44,000
Ware	650	600	30.0	18,000	570	220	24.5	5,400
Warren	1,600	1,300	24.2	31,500	2,600	1,700	22.4	38,000
Washington	12,000	10,500	23.1	242,500	13,000	11,500	34.1	392,500
Wayne	1,900	1,500	30.0	45,000	1,400	1,100	24.5	27,000
Webster	2,400	2,200	30.0	66,000	2,000	1,900	32.6	62,000
Wheeler	5,200	4,700	20.0	94,000	4,500	2,900	31.6	91,500
White	430	270	28.1	7,600	300	100	39.0	3,900
Whitfield	900	680	26.5	18,000	510	410	32.9	13,500
Wilcox	4,200	3,400	23.8	81,000	5,500	5,200	36.8	191,500
Wilkes	2,500	900	37.2	33,500	2,000	1,400	38.2	53,500
Wilkinson	2,100	1,700	22.4	38,000	1,000	600	28.3	17,000
Worth	7,500	6,600	28.5	188,000	7,000	6,600	32.1	212,000
Other Counties 1/	1,560	710	25.2	17,900	1,900	670	29.9	20,000

1/ Counties with less than 100 acres harvested not shown separately.

WHEAT— Acreage, Yield and Production by Agriculutral Statistics Districts, and State Totals, Georgia, 1986–1987

District	1986				1987			
	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction	Planted	Harv. for Grain	Yield per Harv. Acre	Pro-duction
	— Acres —		— Bushels —		— Acres —		— Bushels—	
District 1	14,000	11,500	30.3	348,000	10,000	6,700	29.1	195,000
District 2	16,000	13,500	30.4	411,000	11,500	6,800	31.0	211,000
District 3	30,500	23,500	29.1	684,000	22,000	16,000	29.0	464,000
District 4	65,000	53,000	26.3	1,394,000	51,500	39,000	29.5	1,151,000
District 5	147,500	122,500	24.6	3,017,000	128,000	102,500	28.9	2,959,000
District 6	105,000	90,500	23.5	2,127,000	83,500	74,500	29.7	2,216,000
District 7	140,500	130,500	34.6	4,510,000	131,500	117,500	35.0	4,109,000
District 8	93,000	81,000	28.0	2,270,000	86,000	76,500	31.3	2,396,000
District 9	28,500	24,000	26.6	639,000	26,000	20,500	27.3	559,000
STATE TOTAL	640,000	550,000	28.0	15,400,000	550,000	460,000	31.0	14,260,000



STOCKS OF GRAIN—Quarterly, Georgia, 1986–1988

Date	1986			1987			1988		
	On Farms	Off Farms 1/	Total All Positions	On Farms	Off Farms 1/	Total All Positions	On Farms	Off Farms 1/	Total All Positions
				1,000 Bushels					
BARLEY									
Jan. 1		108	108						
Apr. 1									
June 1		29	29		12	12		*	*
Oct. 1									
CORN									
Jan. 1	27,846	11,048	38,894						
Mar. 1				*	17,873	*	*	16,088	*
Apr. 1	*	8,858	*						
June 1	*	6,938	*	*	15,425	*	*	10,592	*
Sep. 1	*	5,834	*	*	14,564	*	NA		
Oct. 1									
Dec. 1	*	17,424	*	*	19,333	*	NA		
OATS									
Jan. 1	405	186	591						
Apr. 1									
Jun. 1	*	141	*	*	134	*	*	148	*
Oct. 1									
RYE									
Jun. 1	83	*	*	100	*	*	100	*	*
SORGHUM									
Jan. 1	2,318	315	2,633						
Apr. 1									
Jun. 1	*	34	*	*	36	*	*	40	*
Sep. 1	*	23	*	*	29	*	NA		
Oct. 1									
SOYBEANS									
Jan. 1	9,672	15,600	25,272						
Mar. 1				2,500	9,080	11,580	3,000	9,233	12,233
Apr. 1	6,696	10,116	16,812						
Jun. 1	2,418	6,438	8,856	1,100	*	*	1,000	5,830	6,830
Sep. 1	750	3,129	3,879	300	*	*	NA		
Dec. 1	8,500	11,139	19,639	4,800	11,830	16,630	NA		
WHEAT									
Jan. 1	1,279	2,724	4,003						
Mar. 1				500	3,827	4,327	300	2,414	2,714
Apr. 1	895	2,021	2,916						
Jun. 1	512	1,488	2,000	450	1,992	2,442	100	1,073	1,173
Sep. 1	2,574	5,887	6,461	1,200	5,119	6,319	NA		
Oct. 1									
Dec. 1	800	4,780	5,580	600	3,045	3,645	NA		

1/ Includes stocks at mills elevators, warehouses, terminals and processors. * Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations. Blanks indicate estimates not made.

GRAIN STOCKS—Number of Facilities and Storage Capacity, Georgia, 1979–1988

Year	No. of Facilities January 1	Storage Capacity January 1	
	Off Farm	Off Farm	On Farm
		—1,000 Bushels—	
1979	376		
1980	384		
1981	386	66,860	
1982	386	69,290	
1983	365	69,040	
1984	358	68,570	
1985	358	68,570	
1986	374	68,970	115,910
1987 1/	360	69,180	119,389
1988	328	65,720	NA

1/ Per program modification, survey reference date was changed from January 1 to December 1 beginning December 1, 1986.

HAY STOCKS—Georgia, 1979–1988

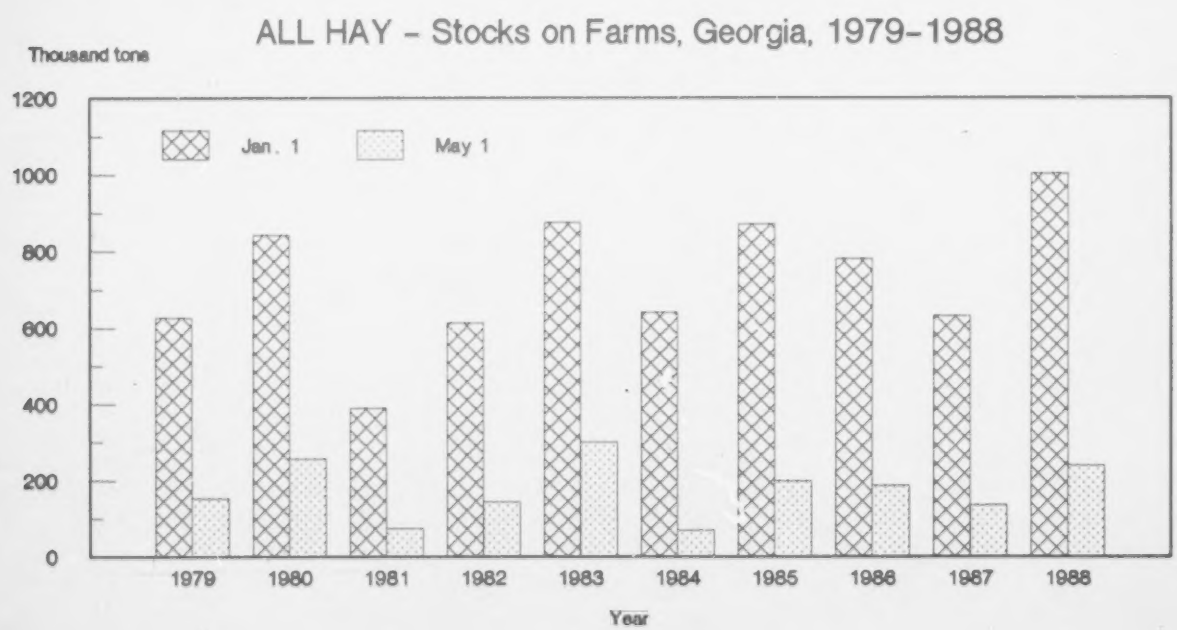
Year	Stocks on Farms	
	January 1	May 1
	—1,000 Tons—	
1979	627	152
1980	842	257
1981	390	74
1982	613	143
1983	876	300
1984	640	70
1985	871	198
1986	780	186
1987 1/	631	135
1988	1,003	238

1/ Per program modification, survey reference date was changed from January 1 to December 1 beginning December 1, 1986.

SOYBEANS—Percent of Acreage Planted Following Another Crop, Selected States, 1984–1988

State	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Ala.	18	21	30	12	13
Ark.	33	25	9	20	20
Del.	44	31	48	38	41
Fla.	42	49	36	27	36
Ga.	40	31	31	32	31
Ill.	6	5	3	2	2
Ind.	3	6	3	2	1
Kans.	11	19	15	9	3
Ky.	35	34	16	16	30
La.	8	9	6	6	6
Md.	41	38	43	39	36
Miss.	18	15	7	5	9
Mo.	15	14	7	5	7
N.J.	19	23	31	33	19
N.C.	31	32	43	22	27
Ohio	2	0	2	0	1
Okla.	27	39	19	13	19
Pa.	9	7	7	13	6
S.C.	32	32	43	31	34
Tenn.	29	27	9	18	17
Tex.	3	3	3	10	1
Va.	46	38	44	30	48
U.S.	12	11	8	6	7

1/ Data as obtained from area frame samples. These data do not represent official estimates of the Agricultural Statistics Board but provide raw data as obtained from survey respondents. The purpose of these data is to portray trends in soybean production practices.



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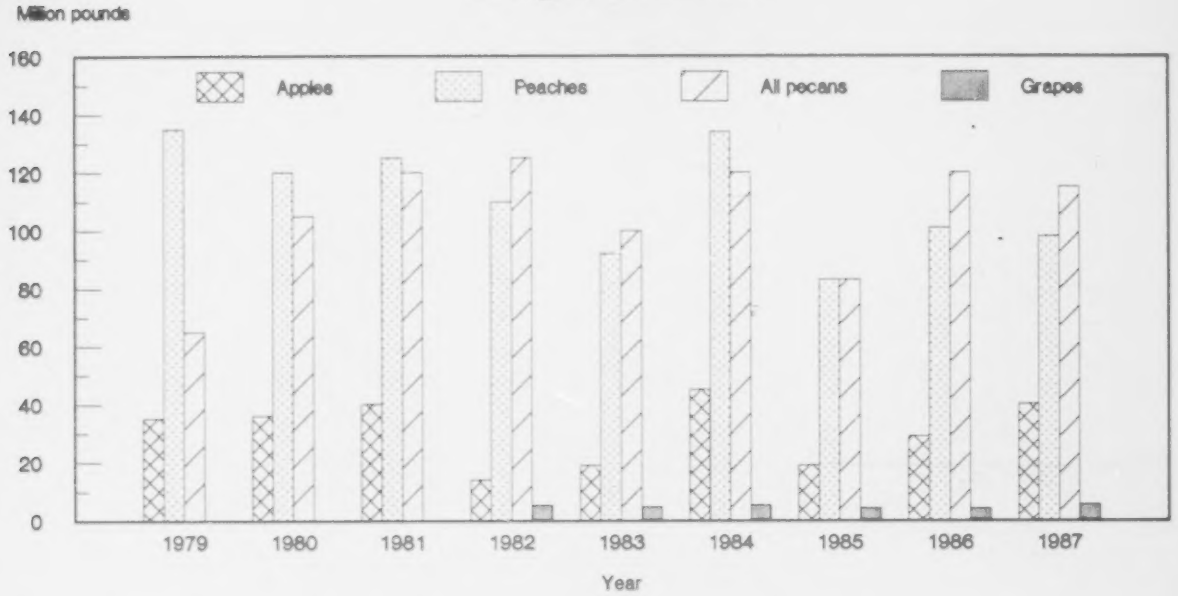

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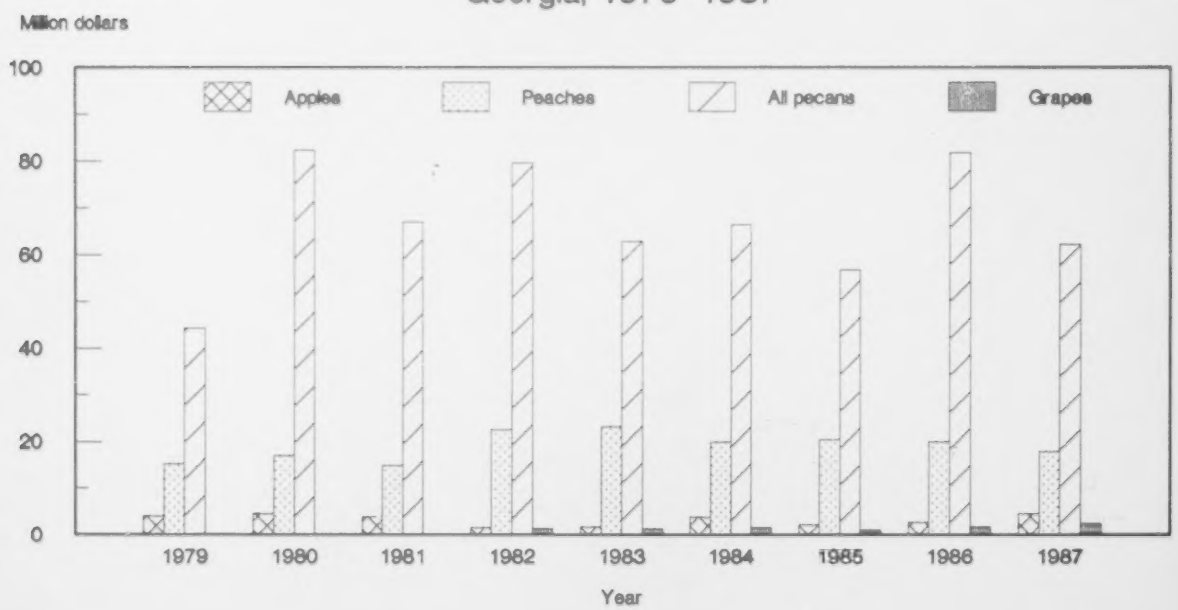


FRUITS, NUTS AND VEGETABLES

HIGHLIGHTS - 1987 CROP YEAR

Georgia's 1987 fruit and nut crops suffered from another difficult year weather-wise. A freeze on April 1, reduced the size of the peach crop and extremely dry conditions in the fall limited pecan production. Apples escaped most of the cold damage as a major portion of the crop was still dormant when the freeze hit. Weather conditions for grapes were more favorable than in 1986, and production actually improved. Progress of peach harvest was in line with the five year average, but lagged behind previous year's progress for most of the season. Apple harvest began later than usual and remained considerably behind 1986 and normal until mid September. Cooler temperatures at that time accelerated maturity, and harvest progress moved ahead of 1986 in early October. Harvest was close to the five year average the remainder of the season. The pecan harvest also got off to a slow start, and remained behind 1986 and the 5 year average for most of the year. Harvest was delayed because shucks opened later than normal. With the exception of grapes, average prices of fruits and nuts in 1987 were below 1986. Vegetable production in the estimating program remains a small percentage of Georgia's total production due to limited resources.

PECAN CROP DOWN 4 PERCENT

Georgia's 1987 pecan crop of 115 million pounds was 5 million pounds or 4 percent less than the 1986 crop. This final utilized production was below expectation in September and early October, but above the December 1 forecast. Prospects for a good crop were very encouraging until late October. As harvest progressed, yields and quality were less than first expected. The very dry conditions of October resulted in slow shuck openings and weight loss of nutmeats. By December 1, with about two-thirds of the crop harvested, the production forecast was lowered to 105 million pounds. Growers claimed prices were too low to justify a second harvest on the "stick-tights." However, most of the pecans were eventually harvested and the final production estimate for 1987 was raised 10 million pounds to 115 million. Georgia produced 45 percent of the Nation's pecans in 1987, compared with 42 percent in 1986.

The average price received by Georgia growers for their 1987 pecan crop was 54.0 cents per pound, a drop of 14.2 cents per pound from 1986. This was the lowest season average price for pecans since 1975, when the crop averaged 42.8 cents per pound. The value of production of pecans in 1987 totaled $62.2 million, 24 percent less than 1986, but 9 percent more than the 1985 value.

PEACH PRODUCTION DOWN 3 PERCENT

Georgia's 1987 utilized production of peaches totaled 98.0 million pounds, down 3 percent from 1986's 101 million pounds. As in the previous two years, the 1987 crop was nipped by a late freeze. The freeze occurred in early April when about 95 percent of the crop was in bloom. However, the damage was very spotty, with some varieties being hit very hard and others escaping damage. Certain localities were hurt badly while other areas had limited damage. Production was also limited by a high incidence of brown rot compounded by wet conditions in June.

Harvest began near the middle of May and was complete by early August. A good crop in other states reduced the demand for fresh peaches and more of the Georgia crop went to processors. The average price for Georgia peaches was 18.1 cents per pound in 1987, compared with the 1986 price of 19.7 cents per pound. The lower production and price in 1987 put total value for peaches at $17.8 million, 11 percent less than 1986.

APPLE CROP UP 38 PERCENT, PRICES DOWN

Georgia's utilized production of apples in 1987, increased 38 percent to 40.0 million pounds compared with 1986's production of 29.0 million pounds. The 1987 crop equals 1981 as the second highest production of record, and is only 5 million pounds off the record set in 1984. Less than one-fifth of the crop was in bloom at the time of the April freeze, and thus escaped most of the damage. The increased supply glutted the marketing channel and growers had trouble finding markets for their apples. Many turned to roadside stands and pick-your-own to sell what they could. One-fifth of the total production of 50.0 million pounds was left unharvested in the orchards.

The average price for Georgia's 1987 apples was 11.3 cents per pound, compared with a record high 16.0 cents in 1986 and 11.2 cents for the 1985 crop. The 1987 overall value of utilized production declined 3 percent from the 1986 record high value to $4.52 million. This was still the second highest value of record.

GRAPE PRODUCTION UP

Grape production in Georgia in 1987 totaled 2,700 tons, 700 tons or 35 percent more than 1986's production. Early spring weather was wet and cold which prolonged dormancy, therefore, the late freeze caused little damage. Except for short periods, moisture was generally adequate until early August. In addition to favorable growing conditions, the increased production was the result of new acreages of French wine varieties coming into production. The average price received for all grapes (both fresh and processed) was a record high $870 per ton, an increase of $78 over last year's previous high of $792 per ton. The higher production and price pushed the 1987 value of production to a new record of $2.35 million. This was 48 percent more than the value of last year's crop and exceeded the previous record high in 1981 by 8 percent.

TOMATO PRODUCTION UP

Production of tomatoes for the fresh market in 1987 totaled 319,000 tons in Georgia, 49,000 tons or 18 percent more than produced in 1986. Acreage harvested amounted to 2,900 acres in 1987, 200 more than 1986, but 200 less than 1985. Yield per acre averaged 110 cwt., 10 cwt. more than a year earlier and 20 cwt. more than 2 years ago. The value of production of fresh market tomatoes totaled $8.04 million in 1987, 51 percent more than the $5.32 million crop of 1986.

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS—Total Production, Utilized Production and Value, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Total Production	Utilized Production	Season Average Price	Value of Production
	— *Million Pounds* —		*Cents per Pound*	*1,000 Dollars*
Apples				
1980	36.0	36.0	12.3	4,442
1981	45.0	40.0	9.3	3,729
1982	15.0	14.0	10.8	1,516
1983	20.0	19.0	8.6	1,643
1984	50.0	45.0	8.4	3,760
1985	20.0	19.0	11.2	2,131
1986	30.0	29.0	16.0	4,646
1987	50.0	40.0	11.3	4,520
Peaches				
1980	120.0	120.0	14.1	16,920
1981	140.0	125.0	11.8	14,805
1982	120.0	110.0	20.4	22,460
1983	100.0	92.0	25.1	23,083
1984	150.0	134.0	14.8	19,885
1985	90.0	83.0	24.6	20,439
1986	105.0	101.0	19.7	19,892
1987	100.0	98.0	18.1	17,758
Improved Pecans		*1,000 Pounds*		
1980		84,000	83.0	69,720
1981		96,000	59.0	56,640
1982		105,000	66.5	69,825
1983		85,000	66.0	56,100
1984		100,000	58.0	58,000
1985		74,000	70.5	52,170
1986		100,000	71.5	71,500
1987		100,000	56.0	56,000
Seedling Pecans				
1980		21,000	60.0	12,600
1981		24,000	43.0	10,320
1982		20,000	49.0	9,800
1983		15,000	45.0	6,750
1984		20,000	42.0	8,400
1985		9,000	51.0	4,590
1986		20,000	51.5	10,300
1987		15,000	41.0	6,150
All Pecans				
1980		105,000	78.4	82,320
1981		120,000	55.8	66,960
1982		125,000	63.7	79,625
1983		100,000	62.9	62,850
1984		120,000	55.3	66,400
1985		83,000	68.4	56,760
1986		120,000	68.2	81,800
1987		115,000	54.0	62,150
All Grapes	— *Tons* —		*Dollars per Ton*	
1980 1/				
1981 1/				
1982	2,800	2,600	473	1,231
1983	2,500	2,300	533	1,227
1984	2,700	2,600	582	1,512
1985	2,100	2,100	494	1,038
1986	2,000	2,000	792	1,583
1987	2,700	2,700	870	2,350

1/ Estimates combined with South Carolina.

NUMBER OF APPLE TREES ALL AGES BY COUNTIES

1984 Georgia Commercial Apple Tree Survey

Top 10 Counties with Apple Trees

1. Gilmer	166,999
2. Wilkes	40,520
3. Fannin	36,472
4. Habersham	34,063
5. Bleckley	22,534
6. McDuffie	21,337
7. Peach	19,840
8. Burke	19,789
9. Rabun	18,945
10. Crawford	15,350
State Total	476,954

50,000 & over trees

10,000-49,999 trees

1,000-9,999 trees

100-999 trees

Less Than 100 trees

NUMBER OF PEACH TREES ALL AGES BY COUNTIES

1984 Georgia Commercial Peach Tree Survey

Top 10 Counties with Peach Trees

1. Peach	551,762
2. Taylor	329,348
3. Brooks	246,625
4. Macon	240,604
5. Crawford	228,707
6. Houston	187,673
7. Sumter	97,799
8. Morgan	93,648
9. Burke	77,970
10. Dooly	70,855
State Total	2,650,741

100,000 & over trees

50,000-99,999 trees

10,000-49,999 trees

1,000-9,999 trees

Less Than 1000 trees

NUMBER OF GRAPE VINES ALL AGES BY COUNTIES

1982 Census of Agriculture
Top 10 Counties with Grape Vines

1. Harris	30,482
2. Spalding	19,758
3. Hall	15,276
4. Pike	13,386
5. Meriwether	10,444
6. Fayette	9,817
7. Oglethorpe	7,600
8. Henry	5,067
9. Fulton	4,164
10. Brooks	4,130
State Total	291,157

10,000 & over vines
3,000-9,999 vines
1,000-2,999 vines
400-999 vines
Less Than 400 vines

NUMBER OF PECAN TREES ALL AGES BY COUNTIES

1987 Survey-Ga. Ag. Experiment Stations
Top 10 Counties with Pecan Trees

1. Dougherty	299,591
2. Mitchell	212,116
3. Lee	124,327
4. Calhoun	85,911
5. Early	76,728
6. Sumter	76,753
7. Peach	73,342
8. Macon	72,486
9. Houston	71,174
10. Thomas	65,164
State Total	1,911,556

100,000 & over trees
50,000-99,999 trees
20,000-49,999 trees
10,000-19,999 trees
Less than 10,000 trees

SWEETPOTATOES AND TOMATOES—Acres Harvested, Yield, Production, and Value, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Cwt.	Value of Production
	Acres	*Cwt.*	*1,000 Cwt.*	*Dollars*	*1,000 Dollars*
Sweetpotatoes					
1980	4,500	100	450	15.20	6,840
1981	5,600	115	644	13.30	8,565
1982	6,300	130	819	7.95	6,511
1983	5,800	125	725	16.40	11,890
1984	6,400	140	896	14.10	12,634
1985	6,300	160	1,008	9.10	9,173
1986	5,800	130	754	12.70	9,576
1987	5,200	150	780	12.70	9,906
Tomatoes, Fresh Market					
1980	2,100	77	162	25.80	4,180
1981	1,900	98	186	18.00	3,348
1982	2,000	100	200	23.30	4,660
1983	2,400	86	206	24.50	5,047
1984	2,800	90	252	25.00	6,300
1985	3,100	90	279	18.10	5,050
1986	2,700	100	270	19.70	5,319
1987	2,900	110	319	25.20	8,039

TRUCK CROPS—Cash Receipts, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Thousand Dollars	Year	Thousand Dollars
1980	123,131	1984	134,517
1981	136,623	1985	133,358
1982	135,385	1986	160,637
1983	138,564	1987	160,058

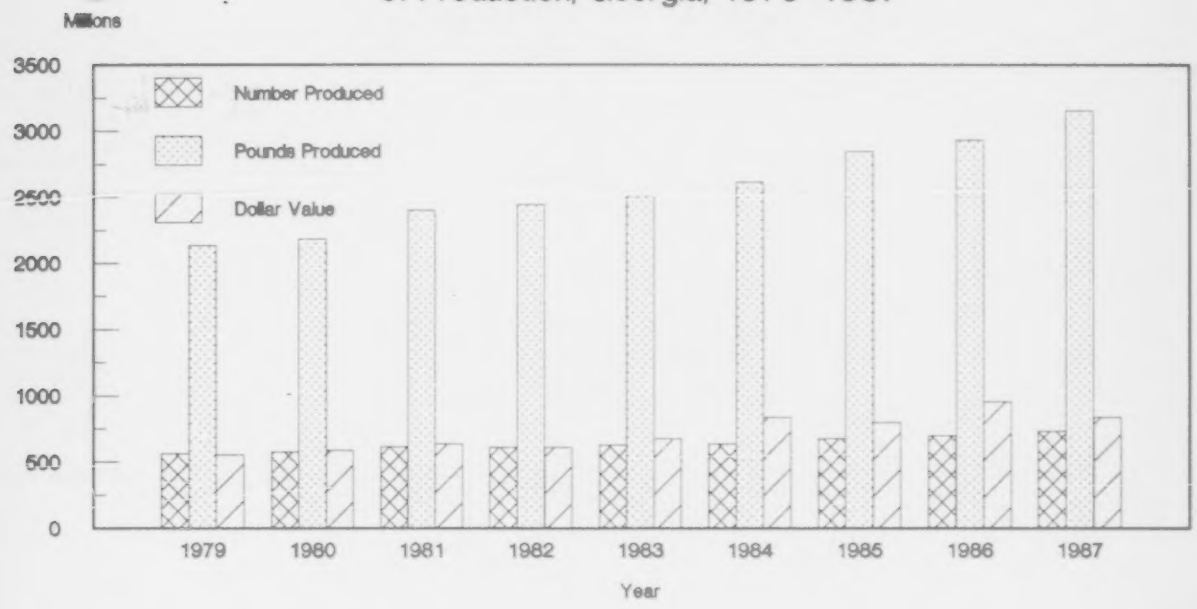
VEGETABLES ACRES HARVESTED
On Farms Reporting Income of $1000 or More

1982 Census of Agriculture
Top 10 Counties with Harvested Acres

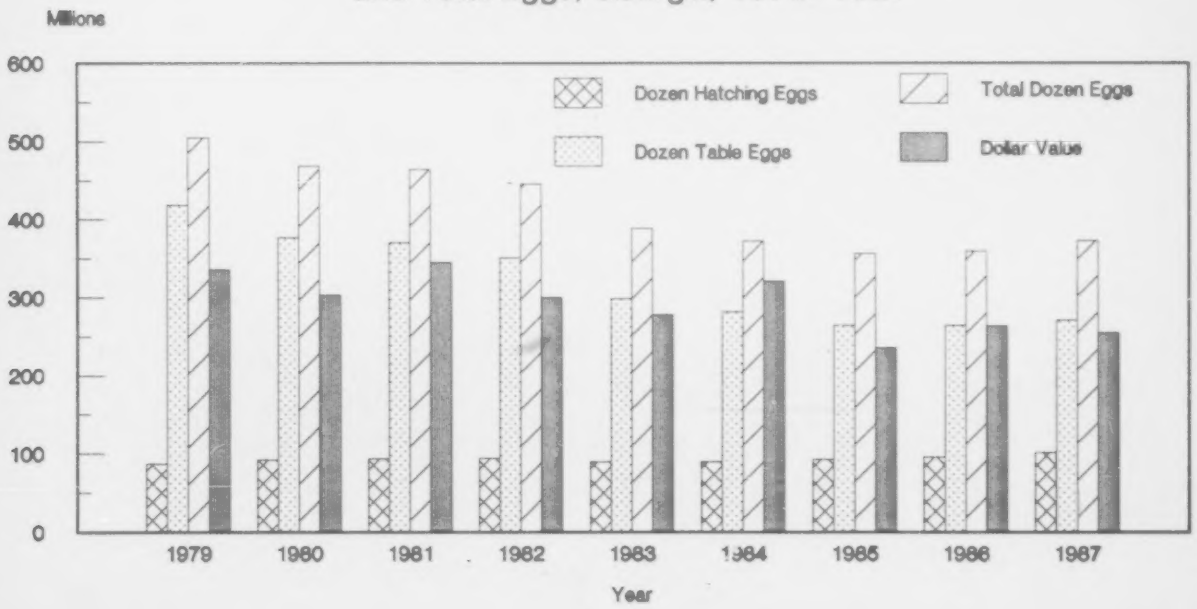
1. Decatur	5,263
2. Colquitt	4,486
3. Seminole	2,917
4. Brooks	2,581
5. Crisp	2,461
6. Turner	2,440
7. Sumter	1,822
8. Macon	1,780
9. Grady	1,717
10. Cook	1,707
State Total	61,973

2,000 & over acres
1,000-1,999 acres
500-999 acres
100-499 acres
Less Than 100 acres

BROILERS – Number, Pounds, and Value of Production, Georgia, 1979–1987



EGG PRODUCTION AND VALUE – Hatching, Table, and Total Eggs, Georgia, 1979–1987



POULTRY

1987 FARM VALUE OF POULTRY AND EGGS

$1,123,100,000

Second in Poultry Value of Production

Second in Broiler Production

Fourth in Egg Production

HIGHLIGHTS–1987

The total farm value of poultry and eggs produced in Georgia amounted to $1.12 billion for the 1987 production year, down 11 percent from 1986. Value of production from broilers totaled $835.7 million, down 12 percent from 1986. The value of production for all eggs was $255.1 million, down 3 percent from 1986. The value of production for turkeys declined 30 percent to $22.2 million in 1987.

BROILER PRODUCTION

Georgia broiler producers produced 733.4 million broilers in 1987. The fifth consecutive year of record high numbers. Production increased 5 percent from the 697.4 million broilers produced in 1986. Pounds produced in 1987 totaled 3.15 billion, an 8 percent increase from 1986's 2.93 billion pounds. The average price received per pound for broilers in 1987 was 26.5 cents per pound. This is 6.0 cents less than last year and the lowest price received since 1982. Georgia ranked second to Arkansas in the number of broilers produced and accounted for 15 percent of the Nation's total broiler production in 1987.

EGG PRODUCTION

Eggs produced in Georgia for the year ending November 30, 1987, totaled 4.48 billion, 4 percent more than the 4.32 billion eggs in 1986 and 5 percent more than the 4.28 billion eggs in 1985. The number of layers averaged 18.4 million in 1987, 4 percent more than the 17.7 million layers the previous year. In hatching egg flocks, the average number of layers was up in 1987, to 5.9 million from 5.5 million in 1986. The average number of layers in table egg flocks was 12.5 million in 1987, the first increase since 1979. All layers in Georgia produced an average 243 eggs per hen in 1987, the same as in 1986. Hatching egg flocks produced 1.31 billion eggs during 1987, an increase of 6 percent from the previous year. Table egg flocks produced 3.17 billion eggs in 1987, 3 percent more than 1986. The average price for all eggs in 1987 was 68.4 cents per dozen, 4.8 cents per dozen less than 1986. Table egg prices averaged 44.0 cents per dozen, down 7.1 cents from the previous year. Hatching egg prices averaged 133.7 cents per dozen, down 0.7 cents per dozen from 1986. Georgia's total egg production was 71 percent table eggs and 29 percent hatching eggs. Georgia ranked third in the Nation in 1987 in the average number of layers and fourth in total egg production. California was the leading state in layers and egg production, followed by Indiana. Pennsylvania was third in egg production. Georgia ranked second in value of eggs produced behind California in 1987.

TURKEY PRODUCTION

Turkeys produced in Georgia during 1987 totaled 2.43 million birds, up slightly from 1986. Pounds of turkey produced in 1987 totaled 67.4 million, compared with 67.9 million pounds produced in 1986. This was a 1 percent decrease from the 1986 poundage. Only heavy breed turkeys are produced in Georgia. The average price received per pound was 30 percent less than 1986 and averaged 33.0 cents.

POULTRY— Production and Value of Production , Georgia, 1983–1987 1/

Year	Number Produced 2/	Pounds Produced 3/	Price per Lb.	Value of Production 4/
	—Thousands—		Cents	1,000 Dollars
Commercial Broilers 5/				
1983	626,551	2,506,204	27.0	676,675
1984	636,785	2,610,819	32.0	835,462
1985	677,224	2,844,341	28.0	796,415
1986	697,364	2,928,929	32.5	951,902
1987	733,417	3,153,693	26.5	835,729
Hatching Egg Flocks				
1983	7,112	55,900	19.5	11,107
1984	6,973	55,493	26.2	14,566
1985	6,943	54,417	21.0	11,660
1986	6,765	51,727	16.5	8,548
1987	6,805	53,760	13.3	7,150
Table Egg Flocks				
1983	10,893	41,327	11.3	4,743
1984	11,378	43,602	14.0	6,125
1985	10,578	40,196	12.7	5,197
1986	9,735	37,373	10.5	3,926
1987	9,265	33,018	8.6	2,829
All Chickens including Comm. Broilers				
1983	644,556	2,603,431		692,525
1984	655,136	2,709,914		856,153
1985	694,745	2,938,954		813,272
1986	713,864	3,018,029		964,376
1987	749,487	3,240,471		845,708
Turkeys				
1983	2,266	60,276	40.0	24,110
1984	2,582	72,038	48.0	34,578
1985	2,631	74,720	47.0	35,119
1986	2,426	67,928	47.0	31,926
1987	2,432	67,366	33.0	22,231
All Poultry Including Broilers, Eggs, Chickens and Turkeys				
1983				995,728
1984				1,212,113
1985				1,083,901
1986				1,259,700
1987				1,123,071

1/ The production year begins December 1 previous year and ends November 30 current year, except turkeys based on September 1 through August 31 hatch. 2/ Number sold for chickens and number raised for turkeys. 3/ Pounds sold for chickens. 4/ Value of sales for chickens. 5/ Liveweight equivalent price.

EGGS—Production and Value of Production, Georgia, 1983–1987 1/

Year	Average Number Layers	Eggs per Layer	Eggs Produced 2/		
			Table	Hatching	Total
	1,000	*Number*		*—Millions—*	
Hatching Egg Flocks					
1983	5,080	226	69	1,077	1,146
1984	5,093	227	74	1,079	1,154
1985	5,301	225	83	1,109	1,192
1986 3/	5,509	223	86	1,145	1,231
1987	5,899	222	92	1,218	1,310
Table Egg Flocks 4/					
1983	14,143	249	3,519		3,525
1984	13,532	245	3,315		3,320
1985	12,325	251	3,090		3,090
1986	12,237	252	3,087		3,087
1987	12,508	253	3,166		3,166
All Flocks					
1983	19,223	243	3,588	1,077	4,671
1984	18,625	240	3,389	1,079	4,474
1985	17,626	243	3,173	1,109	4,282
1986 3/	17,746	243	3,173	1,145	4,318
1987	18,407	243	3,258	1,218	4,476

Year	Price per Dozen			Value of Production 5/		
	Table	Hatching	Total	Table	Hatching	Total
	—Cents—			*—1,000 Dollars—*		
Hatching Egg Flocks						
1983	60.6	108.7		3,485	97,558	101,043
1984	72.3	130.0		4,458	116,892	121,350
1985	47.7	118.4		3,299	109,383	112,682
1986	51.1	134.4		3,662	128,281	131,943
1987	44.0	133.7		3,373	135,672	139,045
Table Egg Flocks 4/						
1983	60.6			177,691		177,691
1984	72.3			199,601		199,601
1985	47.7			122,828		122,828
1986	51.1			131,455		131,455
1987	44.0			116,087		116,087
All Egg Flocks						
1983	60.6	108.7	71.7	181,176	97,558	278,734
1984	72.3	130.0	86.2	204,059	116,892	320,951
1985	47.7	118.4	66.0	126,127	109,383	235,510
1986	51.1	134.4	73.2	135,117	128,281	263,398
1987	44.0	133.7	68.4	119,460	135,672	255,132

1/ The production year begins December 1 previous year and ends November 30 current year. 2/ Eggs sold prior to 1985. 3/ Revised. 4/ Includes both commercial and farm flocks. 5/ Cash receipts prior to 1985.

BROILERS SOLD NUMBER BY COUNTIES

1982 Census of Agriculture

Top 10 Counties

1. Hall	35,080,763
2. Jackson	34,004,947
3. Forsyth	32,119,534
4. Madison	29,809,995
5. Habersham	26,260,565
6. Cherokee	24,601,895
7. Gordon	21,181,767
8. Franklin	20,383,112
9. Carroll	18,029,826
10. Barrow	17,227,060
State Total	521,508,557

20,000,000 & over

10,000,000-19,999,999

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1-999,999

Zero or Not Disclosed

HENS AND PULLETS NUMBER BY COUNTIES

1982 Census of Agriculture

Top 10 Counties

1. Hall	2,327,500
2. Jackson	1,748,293
3. Brantley	1,187,967
4. Forsyth	932,064
5. Cherokee	825,302
6. Gordon	755,552
7. Franklin	745,301
8. Lumpkin	741,362
9. Jenkins	689,451
10. Jeff Davis	625,775
State Total	23,762,446

750,000 & over

250,000-749,000

10,000-249,999

1-9,999

Not Disclosed

BEES—Queen Bee and Package Bee Sales, Georgia, 1980–1987

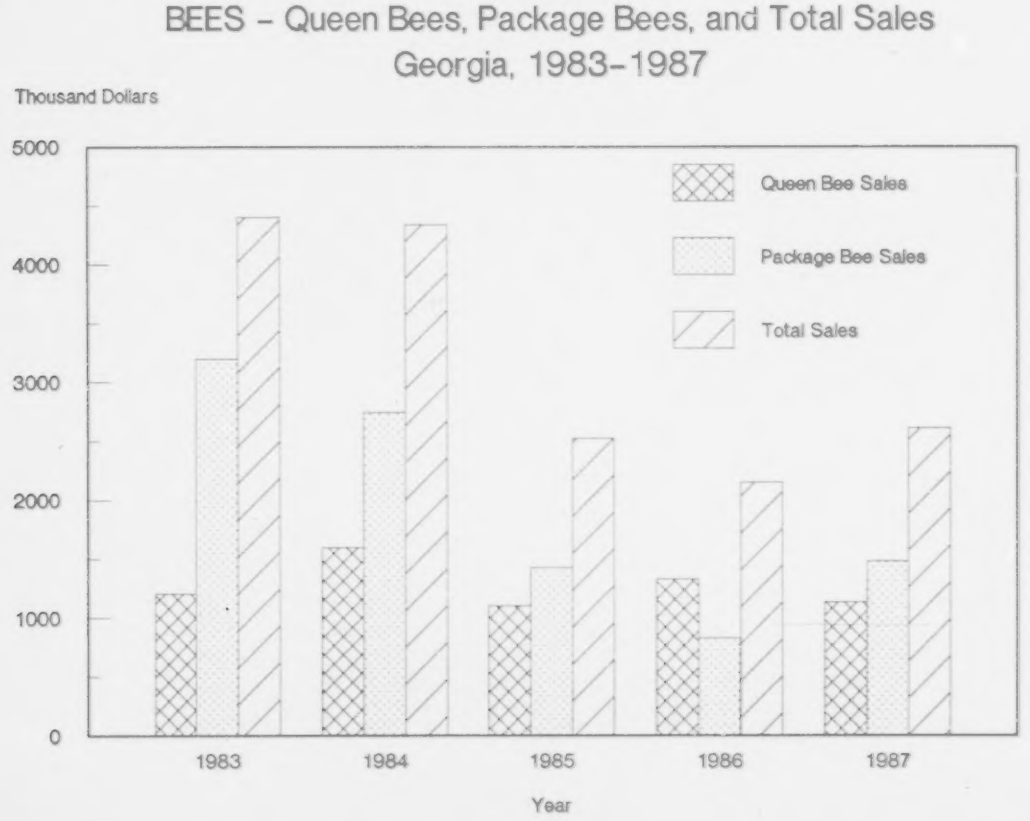
Year	Queen Bees 1/	Package Bees 2/	Total Sales	Year	Queen Bees 1/	Package Bees 2/	Total Sales
	—1,000 Dollars—				—1,000 Dollars—		
1980	974	2,520	3,494	1984	1,595	2,740	4,336
1981	932	3,421	4,353	1985	1,098	1,421	2,519
1982 3/				1986	1,325	825	2,150
1983	1,205	3,195	4,400	1987	1,130	1,476	2,606

1/ Queen bees sold individually. 2/ A queen bee included in each package. 3/ Estimates not made in 1982.

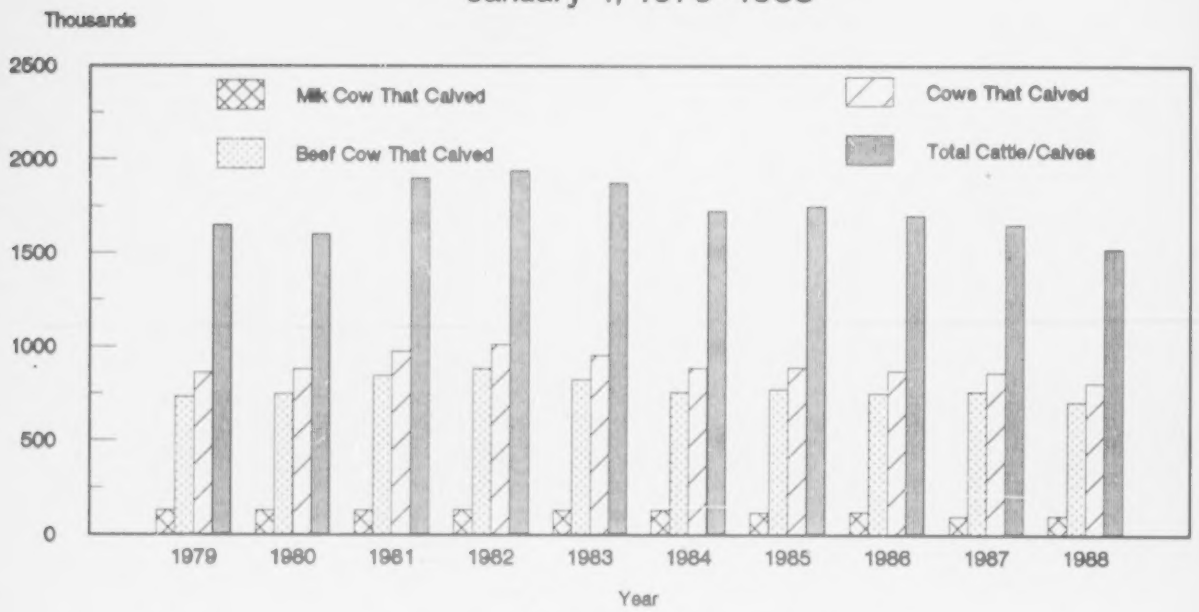
BEES—Colonies of Bees, Production, Price and Value, Georgia, 1977–1987 1/

Year	Colonies of Bees	Yield per Colony	Honey Production	Average Price per Pound	Value of Honey Production
	1,000 Colonies	Pounds	1,000 Pounds	Dollars	1,000 Dollars
1977	160	25	4,000	.513	2,052
1978	150	23	3,450	.587	2,025
1979	156	39	6,084	.508	3,091
1980	161	26	4,186	.560	2,344
1981	145	37	5,365	.610	3,273
1986	115	41	4,715	.510	2,405
1987	120	38	4,560	.550	2,508

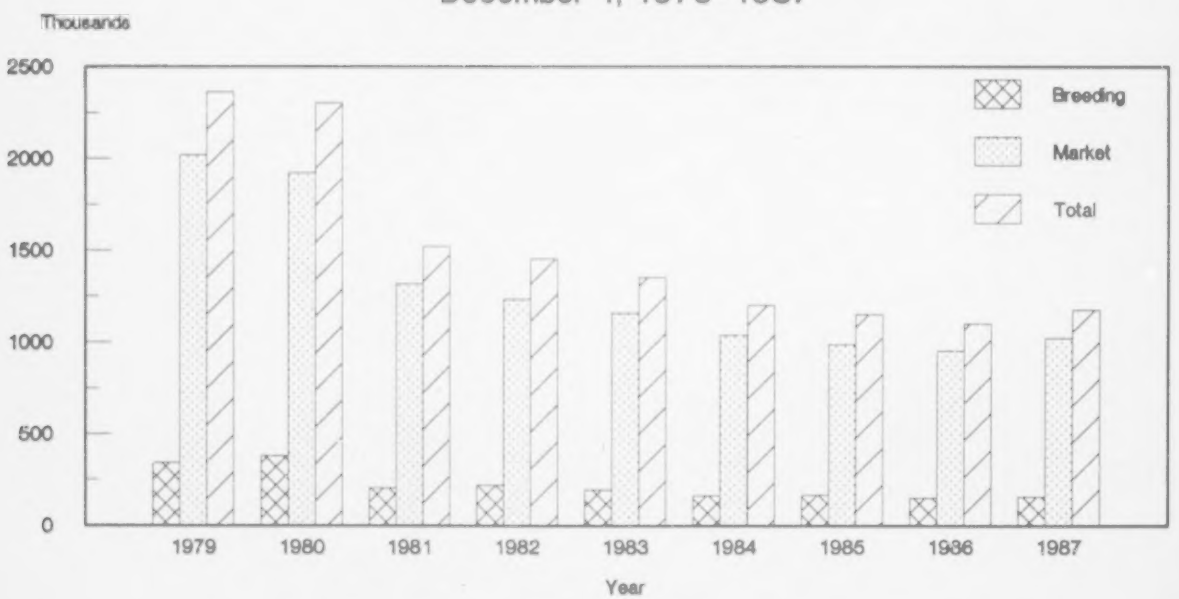
1/ Estimates discontinued 1982 through 1985.



CATTLE AND CALVES - Georgia, January 1, 1979-1988



HOGS AND PIGS - Georgia, December 1, 1979--1987



LIVESTOCK AND DAIRY

HIGHLIGHTS—1987

Georgia cattle inventory continued to decline during 1987. All cattle and calves on January 1, 1988, totaled 1,520,000 head, down 8 percent from a year ago and the lowest inventory since 1961. This latest decline marked the fourth consecutive year of falling inventories. Prices were up sharply from 1986, averaging $10.50 per cwt. higher for cattle and $17.20 higher per cwt. for calves. Although hog prices fell sharply in November, hog producers experienced a second consecutive year of favorable returns in 1987. The 1987 marketing year average for all hogs of $52.30 per cwt. was $1.80 higher than in 1986.

Georgia ranked 24th Nationally in the number of cattle and calves on January 1, 1988, and 13th in the number of hogs and pigs on December 1, 1987. The number of cattle operations in Georgia in 1987 totaled 34,000, 1,000 less than in 1986. Hog operations numbered 8,600 in 1987, 400 less than during 1986.

Milk production in 1987 was shaped by a strong increase in milk per cow and by the dairy termination program. Georgia ranked 29th in the Nation in pounds of milk produced. The number of operations and farms with milk cows in 1987 totaled 1,700, unchanged from 1986.

Cash receipts for dairy and livestock producers amounted to $699.3 million in 1987, 13 percent more than the previous year.

CATTLE

All cattle and calves on Georgia farms on January 1, 1988, totaled 1,520,000 head, 8 percent less than the previous year's total of 1,650,000 head. The number of beef cows decreased 8 percent to 703,000 head, but milk cow numbers were up 2 percent to 102,000 head. Cash receipts from the sale of cattle and calves in 1987 jumped 36 percent to $291.8 million. The average price for cattle was up 26 percent to $51.10 per cwt. Calves averaged $71.70 per cwt., 32 percent more than 1986.

The value of the inventory on January 1, 1988, for all cattle and calves totaled $676.4 million, up 28 percent from a year earlier. Average value per head was $445, compared with $320 on January 1, 1987.

The 1987 calf crop totaled 730,000 head, 6 percent less than the previous year. Morgan county maintained the lead in number of cattle and calves with 31,000 head on January 1, 1988. Colquitt county followed with 29,000 and Mitchell county was third with 26,000 head.

HOGS

There were 1,175,000 hogs and pigs on Georgia farms on December 1, 1987, up 7 percent from the previous year. Breeding inventory increased 3 percent to 155,000 head. Hog cash receipts of $203.6 million for 1987 were up from $193.6 million for 1986. The average value of hogs and pigs on hand December 1, 1987, was $64.00 per head, down $20.00 from the previous year. The total value of Georgia's hog inventory on December 1, 1987, was $75.2 million compared with $92.4 million a year earlier.

Georgia pork producers had 234,000 sows to farrow from December 1, 1986, through November 30, 1987. This was up 7 percent from the 218,000 sows farrowing during the same twelve months a year earlier. The average number of pigs saved per litter in 1987 was 7.53, resulting in a pig crop of 1.76 million. Pig crop was up 7 percent from the previous year. Colquitt county led all counties in the number of hogs and pigs on farms with 72,000 head followed by Brooks county with 50,000 head.

MILK PRODUCTION

Georgia's 1987 milk production was down 8 percent to 1.16 billion pounds and the average number of milk cows dropped 9 percent to 98,000 head. The annual average production per cow at 11,667 pounds increased 1 percent from 1986. Cash receipts from marketing totaled $162.6 million in 1987, 6 percent less than the previous year. Milk prices averaged $14.20 per cwt. in 1987 compared with $13.90 per cwt. in 1986. Morgan county was the leading county in the number of milk cows on January 1, 1988, with 9,500 head followed by Putnam county with 9,200 head.

RED MEAT PRODUCTION

Red meat production for Georgia during 1987 totaled 409 million pounds, down 7 percent from 1986. Production included beef, veal, pork, lamb and mutton slaughtered in commercial establishments. The number of hogs slaughtered in Georgia in 1987 totaled 1.69 million head, 8 percent less than in 1986. Cattle slaughter amounted to 245,100 head in 1987, down 10 percent from 1986. Calves slaughtered totaled 7,600 head in 1987, up 69 percent from the previous year. There were 1,000 head of sheep and lambs slaughtered in 1987, 100 head less than 1986.

CATTLE AND CALVES—Number on Farms and Value January 1, Georgia, 1982–1988

Year	All Cattle and Calves	Value	
		Average per Head	Total
	1,000 Head	*Dollars*	*1,000 Dollars*
1982	1,940	330	640,200
1983	1,875	345	646,875
1984	1,725	315	543,375
1985	1,750	310	542,500
1986	1,700	300	510,000
1987	1,650	320	528,000
1988	1,520	445	676,400

CATTLE—Number on Farms January 1, Georgia, 1982–1988

Year	Cows that have Calved			Heifers 500 pounds and over			
	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	All Cows	Beef Cow Replacements	Milk Cow Replacements	Other Heifers	Total Heifers
	1,000 Head						
1982	881	131	1,012	155	40	70	265
1983	823	130	953	122	41	82	245
1984	756	129	885	114	40	67	221
1985	771	118	889	114	40	68	222
1986	751	119	870	111	41	68	220
1987	760	100	860	116	33	69	223
1988	703	102	805	105	38	57	200

CATTLE AND CALVES—On Farms and On Feed, January 1, Georgia, 1982–1988

Year	Number of Farms			Cattle & Calves on Feed
	Steers 500 Pounds and Over	Bulls 500 Pounds and Over	Steer, Heifer, & Bull Calves Under 500 Pounds	
	1,000 Head			
1982	94	64	505	40
1983	116	62	499	38
1984	105	57	457	26
1985	110	56	473	26
1986	102	51	457	17
1987	90	53	424	18
1988	75	50	390	12

CATTLE AND CALVES—Percent of Operations and Percent of Inventory by Size Groups, Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Operations Having:				Inventory on Operations Having:			
	1–49 Head	50–99 Head	100–499 Head	500 + Head	1–49 Head	50–99 Head	100–499 Head	500 + Head
	Percent							
1982	75.0	14.5	9.8	.7	27.1	20.7	38.3	13.9
1983	76.3	14.2	8.7	.8	26.5	21.2	37.4	14.9
1984	75.7	14.1	9.7	.5	26.8	20.6	42.3	10.3
1985	75.7	14.1	9.7	.5	26.5	20.6	42.3	10.6
1986	77.1	12.6	9.7	.6	26.7	19.4	43.6	10.3
1987	77.3	12.4	9.7	.6	28.3	18.8	42.4	10.5

CALF CROP AND CATTLE DISPOSITION—Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Calves Born	Cows that have Calved	Inship-ments	Marketings 1/		Farm Slaughter	Deaths	
				Cattle	Calves	Cattle & Calves	Cattle	Calves
				1,000 Head				
1982	840	1,012	29	431	398	5	38	62
1983	780	953	33	456	416	6	37	48
1984	780	885	31	366	329	4	35	52
1985	780	870	30	408	374	3	30	45
1986	780	860	52	413	386	3	35	45
1987	730	860	61	438	405	3	28	47

1/ Excludes interfarm sales.

CATTLE AND CALVES—Production and Income, Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Production 1/	Marketings 2/	Price per 100 Lbs.		Cash Receipts 3/	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
			Cattle	Calves			
	1,000 Pounds		*Dollars*		*1,000 Dollars*		
1982	441,680	499,130	46.00	53.10	239,474	4,788	244,262
1983	417,870	525,920	46.00	54.60	254,410	5,580	259,990
1984	420,740	419,450	44.10	51.20	193,125	4,291	197,416
1985	432,440	477,380	43.50	56.30	224,365	2,886	227,251
1986	435,370	484,280	40.60	54.50	215,341	3,392	218,733
1987	394,180	514,030	51.10	71.70	291,787	3,479	295,266

1/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. 2/ Excludes interfarm sales. 3/ Receipts from marketings and sales of farm slaughter.

MILK COWS—Number on Farms, by Months, Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
	Thousands												
1982	131	130	131	1/	1/	131	1/	1/	130	1/	1/	130	130
1983	130	129	129	129	128	129	128	128	128	128	129	129	129
1984	127	124	123	122	120	119	117	117	118	118	118	118	120
1985	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	117	118	118	118	117
1986	1/	1/	118	1/	1/	114	1/	1/	105	1/	1/	100	109
1987	1/	1/	99	1/	1/	98	1/	1/	98	1/	1/	100	99

1/ Estimated quarterly.

MILK PRODUCTION—Pounds per Cow, by Months, Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Average
	Pounds												
1982	955	930	1,030	1/	1/	2,690	1/	1/	2,515	1/	1/	2,710	10,862
1983	980	900	1,025	960	970	870	820	820	835	875	860	930	10,814
1984	945	915	985	935	950	810	795	810	875	850	850	920	10,617
1985	960	870	1,000	990	980	900	910	880	850	900	900	970	11,111
1986	990	930	1,040	1/	1/	2,980	1/	1/	2,670	1/	1/	2,900	11,560
1987	1/	1/	3,080	1/	1/	3,060	1/	1/	2,650	1/	1/	2,900	11,667

1/ Estimated quarterly.

MILK PRODUCTION—Total Pounds Produced, by Months, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual
						Million Pounds							
1980	123	114	122	122	118	105	103	106	105	115	113	121	1,367
1981	125	115	131	126	120	104	102	108	106	116	117	126	1,396
1982	125	121	135	1/	1/	352	1/	1/	327	1/	1/	352	1,412
1983	127	116	132	124	124	112	105	105	107	112	111	120	1,395
1984	120	113	121	113	114	95	93	95	103	100	98	109	1,274
1985	112	102	117	116	115	105	106	103	99	106	106	115	1,300
1986	1/	1/	350	1/	1/	340	1/	1/	280	1/	1/	290	1,260
1987	1/	1/	305	1/	1/	300	1/	1/	260	1/	1/	290	1,155

1/ Estimated quarterly.

MILK PRODUCTION—Utilization, Butterfat and Value, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Total Milk Production	Sold to Plants and Dealers	Used on Farms	Butterfat	Cash Receipts from Marketings
		Million Pounds		*Percent*	*Thous. Dollars*
1980	1,367	1,346	21	3.62	188,440
1981	1,396	1,376	20	3.63	202,272
1982	1,412	1,395	17	3.61	200,880
1983	1,395	1,380	15	3.64	200,100
1984	1,274	1,260	14	3.64	183,960
1985	1,300	1,290	10	3.65	181,890
1986	1,260	1,250	10	3.65	173,750
1987	1,155	1,145	10	3.63	162,590

COWS AND HEIFERS—Kept for Milk, Number on Farms and Value, Georgia, January 1, 1980–1988

Year	Cows that have calved	Value per Head 1/	Total Value	Heifers 500 Lbs. and Over
	1,000 Head	*Dollars*	*1,000 Dollars*	*1,000 Head*
1980	130	1,170	152,100	41
1981	130	1,230	159,900	44
1982	131	1,150	150,650	40
1983	130	1,060	137,800	41
1984	129	850	109,650	40
1985	118	890	105,020	40
1986	119	840	99,960	41
1987	100	890	89,000	38
1988	102	1,010	103,020	38

1/ Value per head is based on the replacement value for milk cows and not necessarily the herd average value.

MILK COWS—Percent of Operations and Percent of Inventory by Size Groups, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	Operations having:				Inventory on Operations having:			
	1–29 Head	30–49 Head	50–99 Head	100+ Head	1-29 Head	30–49 Head	50–99 Head	100+ Head
				Percent				
1980	68.6	1.5	11.7	18.2	2.0	1.5	20.5	76.0
1981	65.3	1.8	11.9	21.0	2.2	1.7	19.8	76.3
1982	67.2	2.8	11.0	19.0	1.5	2.3	18.1	78.1
1983	62.9	3.7	13.0	20.4	2.3	2.8	20.1	74.8
1984	60.0	4.0	15.2	20.8	1.8	2.9	23.3	72.0
1985	59.1	2.3	15.9	22.7	1.7	1.7	21.0	75.6
1986	58.8	2.9	11.8	26.5	1.5	2.0	14.5	82.0
1987	58.8	1.8	14.1	25.3	1.5	1.3	17.8	79.4

MANUFACTURED DAIRY PRODUCTS—Production of Specified Products, Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Ice Cream	Ice Milk	Milk Sherbet
		Thousand Gallons	
1982	7,598	7,959	442
1983	8,215	10,409	486
1984	8,143	10,258	505
1985	9,497	10,171	683
1986	9,768	10,387	788
1987	9,577	9,155	831

COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER
Number, Average and Total Live Weight, by Class, Georgia, 1982–1987 1/

Year	Number Slaughtered	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Average Live Weight	Total Live Weight
	Thousands	*Pounds*	*Thous. Lbs.*	*Thousands*	*Pounds*	*Thous. Lbs.*
		CATTLE			CALVES	
1982	214.1	908	194,467	26.8	219	5,871
1983	216.5	906	196,180	19.2	337	6,452
1984	242.6	893	216,589	16.9	345	5,824
1985	245.6	904	222,024	10.9	355	3,859
1986	272.9	902	246,165	4.5	333	1,512
1987	245.1	914	224,032	7.6	360	2,735
		HOGS			SHEEP	
1982	2,010.9	231	463,590	.7	96	69
1983	2,163.3	230	498,499	.6	96	55
1984	1,868.0	230	429,825	.8	100	84
1985	1,574.4	233	366,124	.9	93	85
1986	1,850.3	233	430,721	1.1	96	101
1987	1,693.5	237	400,889	1.0	104	100

1/ Includes slaughter in Federally inspected and in other slaughter plants, but excludes animals slaughtered on farms.

RED MEAT PRODUCTION—Georgia, 1982–1987

Year	Thousand Pounds	Year	Thousand Pounds
1982	434,713	1985	378,250
1983	463,010	1986	437,874
1984	418,869	1987	409,003

CATTLE—Number on Farms by Counties, Georgia, January 1, 1987–1988

County	1987				1988			
	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves
		Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk			Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk	
Appling	11,000	6,000	600	4,400	9,000	4,500	550	3,950
Atkinson	7,500	4,000	40	3,460	7,900	3,800	0	4,100
Bacon	6,500	3,000	300	3,200	5,900	2,200	400	3,300
Baker	12,000	4,700	20	7,280	10,600	4,700	20	5,880
Baldwin	7,500	3,900	200	3,400	6,700	4,300	150	2,250
Banks	9,600	4,900	100	4,600	10,000	4,800	50	5,150
Barrow	11,500	7,000	200	4,300	13,200	7,100	350	5,750
Bartow	13,300	7,500	1,500	4,300	14,300	8,100	1,400	4,800
Ben Hill	9,700	5,000	40	4,660	10,500	5,000	20	5,480
Berrien	14,500	8,000	50	6,450	13,000	7,000	100	5,900
Bibb	4,300	1,700	550	2,050	4,600	1,500	500	2,600
Bleckley	7,000	3,500	50	3,450	6,700	2,700	50	3,950
Brantley	3,800	1,900	20	1,880	3,100	1,700	0	1,400
Brooks	23,000	9,000	1,400	12,600	19,000	7,600	1,200	10,200
Bryan	1,400	800	50	550	1,000	600	10	390
Bulloch	22,000	10,000	100	11,900	21,000	9,600	100	11,300
Burke	21,000	8,000	1,500	11,500	20,000	7,900	1,600	10,500
Butts	7,500	4,200	100	3,200	7,000	4,100	100	2,800
Calhoun	7,000	4,000	50	2,950	6,000	3,200	30	2,770
Camden	1,600	600	10	990	1,200	600	0	600
Candler	9,000	4,500	40	4,460	7,600	3,600	0	4,000
Carroll	28,000	14,000	900	13,100	23,000	11,800	750	10,450
Catoosa	12,000	4,500	1,900	5,600	10,300	4,300	1,800	4,200
Charlton	1,800	800	30	970	1,600	850	0	750
Chatham	2,000	900	20	1,080	2,200	1,000	0	1,200
Chattahoochee	600	300	0	300	500	200	0	300
Chattooga	11,800	6,900	450	4,450	12,300	6,300	400	5,600
Cherokee	11,000	6,200	200	4,600	8,700	5,400	150	3,150
Clarke	5,300	2,900	150	2,250	4,000	2,100	150	1,750
Clay	6,500	3,300	250	2,950	6,700	3,000	200	3,500
Clayton	2,000	1,200	0	800	4,000	1,300	0	2,700
Clinch	1,700	700	10	990	1,800	800	10	990
Cobb	2,600	1,500	100	1,000	2,400	1,200	100	1,100
Coffee	21,000	11,000	900	9,100	18,000	9,000	800	8,200
Colquitt	30,000	14,400	1,900	13,700	29,000	12,500	2,100	14,400
Columbia	7,200	3,400	350	3,450	6,000	2,900	250	2,850
Cook	8,500	5,000	50	3,450	8,100	4,400	20	3,680
Coweta	14,000	5,700	1,000	7,300	11,500	4,700	900	5,900
Crawford	3,100	1,600	150	1,350	3,400	1,800	150	1,450
Crisp	8,000	4,000	50	3,950	7,000	3,400	10	3,590
Dade	3,500	2,000	100	1,400	3,200	1,600	100	1,500
Dawson	5,600	2,400	100	3,100	5,200	2,700	100	2,400
Decatur	21,000	11,000	550	9,450	16,000	8,000	1,200	6,800
DeKalb	1,500	700	100	700	1,500	800	100	600
Dodge	13,000	6,200	60	6,740	12,000	5,700	0	6,300
Dooly	8,500	4,000	250	4,250	7,200	3,800	300	3,100
Dougherty	15,000	5,000	50	9,950	12,000	4,700	0	7,300
Douglas	3,100	1,500	80	1,520	2,500	1,300	100	1,100

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County	1987				1988			
	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves
		Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk			Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk	
Early	19,000	9,800	50	9,150	20,000	10,000	0	10,000
Echols	2,200	1,100	0	1,100	1,900	900	0	1,000
Effingham	4,500	2,400	100	2,000	4,400	2,100	100	2,200
Elbert	13,000	6,000	850	6,150	13,000	5,500	1,000	6,500
Emanuel	14,500	6,800	150	7,550	13,000	6,800	100	6,100
Evans	4,700	2,300	50	2,350	4,200	2,400	30	1,770
Fannin	4,600	2,700	150	1,750	4,000	2,300	150	1,550
Fayette	6,700	3,300	100	3,300	4,800	2,600	50	2,150
Floyd	14,700	7,900	600	6,200	15,000	7,800	400	6,800
Forsyth	12,000	7,000	300	4,700	11,000	6,800	200	4,000
Franklin	26,000	14,000	750	11,250	24,000	13,000	900	10,100
Fulton	7,800	4,300	50	3,450	7,000	4,000	50	2,950
Gilmer	7,000	2,800	800	3,400	7,500	3,100	900	3,500
Glascock	4,200	2,400	60	1,740	4,300	2,400	0	1,900
Glynn	1,200	600	10	590	1,100	500	0	600
Gordon	21,000	9,200	900	10,900	19,000	10,100	900	8,000
Grady	21,000	11,000	650	9,350	18,000	9,600	700	7,700
Greene	15,000	5,100	3,800	6,100	16,000	5,600	3,800	6,600
Gwinnett	8,000	3,800	100	4,100	6,500	3,400	100	3,000
Habersham	12,000	6,500	200	5,300	13,000	6,000	150	6,850
Hall	23,000	10,000	2,400	10,600	21,000	8,800	2,600	9,600
Hancock	5,500	2,500	700	2,300	4,800	2,100	600	2,100
Haralson	7,900	3,700	350	3,850	7,500	3,400	400	3,700
Harris	9,000	4,500	300	4,200	6,900	3,800	200	2,900
Hart	15,500	6,200	1,100	8,200	16,000	6,000	1,300	8,700
Heard	7,000	3,200	300	3,500	5,600	2,700	200	2,700
Henry	12,000	5,400	600	6,000	11,500	4,900	600	6,000
Houston	12,000	4,500	900	6,600	12,500	5,000	900	6,600
Irwin	15,000	8,000	150	6,850	12,000	6,000	50	5,950
Jackson	25,000	11,000	300	13,700	20,000	9,400	300	10,300
Jasper	12,500	5,600	900	6,000	10,000	5,400	1,000	3,600
Jeff Davis	3,600	2,000	40	1,560	3,600	1,700	10	1,890
Jefferson	19,000	5,700	2,100	11,200	19,000	6,200	2,200	10,600
Jenkins	14,500	3,500	4,300	6,700	15,500	3,500	4,600	7,400
Johnson	9,400	4,500	40	4,860	8,200	4,500	50	3,650
Jones	9,700	2,400	2,300	5,000	8,100	2,300	2,400	3,400
Lamar	12,000	4,300	800	6,900	10,000	4,100	900	5,000
Lanier	2,700	1,600	50	1,050	2,300	1,300	0	1,000
Laurens	20,000	10,500	400	9,100	17,000	9,200	450	7,350
Lee	12,500	6,000	1,000	5,500	11,000	5,500	1,200	4,300
Liberty	1,100	500	10	590	900	500	0	400
Lincoln	7,800	4,000	450	3,350	7,300	3,200	500	3,600
Long	1,300	600	50	650	1,000	500	10	490
Lowndes	13,000	5,300	700	7,000	9,900	3,500	750	5,650
Lumpkin	7,000	3,400	50	3,550	6,000	3,500	50	2,450
Macon	12,000	3,500	2,800	5,700	10,000	3,300	3,900	2,800
Madison	17,000	8,000	350	8,650	18,000	8,500	350	9,150
Marion	4,700	2,500	150	2,050	4,800	2,100	100	2,600

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County	1987				1988			
	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves
		Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk			Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk	
McDuffie	7,500	3,700	600	3,200	6,900	3,200	600	3,100
McIntosh	800	300	0	500	900	350	0	550
Meriwether	21,000	10,000	700	10,300	18,000	7,600	600	9,800
Miller	20,000	11,000	50	8,950	19,000	10,000	20	8,980
Mitchell	31,000	14,400	800	15,800	26,000	12,800	600	12,600
Monroe	11,000	2,900	2,500	5,600	9,400	3,200	2,200	4,000
Montgomery	5,900	3,300	50	2,550	6,200	3,400	50	2,750
Morgan	34,000	7,000	9,000	18,000	31,000	6,900	9,500	14,600
Murray	7,100	3,000	600	3,500	7,000	3,500	700	2,800
Muscogee	2,000	600	100	1,300	1,500	600	50	850
Newton	14,000	6,000	1,200	6,800	15,000	6,300	1,100	7,600
Oconee	11,500	5,500	350	5,650	10,500	6,200	400	3,900
Oglethorpe	13,000	6,000	1,100	5,900	14,000	6,300	1,300	6,400
Paulding	5,000	2,500	150	2,350	4,000	2,200	150	1,650
Peach	3,500	1,200	600	1,700	3,800	1,300	600	1,900
Pickens	4,000	2,500	50	1,450	3,400	1,900	50	1,450
Pierce	8,000	3,300	1,900	2,800	8,500	3,000	2,100	3,400
Pike	10,000	5,000	400	4,600	9,300	4,500	500	4,300
Polk	10,300	6,500	900	2,900	11,500	7,700	1,100	2,700
Pulaski	5,000	2,400	300	2,300	4,400	2,600	300	1,500
Putnam	22,000	2,600	8,400	11,000	24,000	2,800	9,200	12,000
Quitman	2,000	1,200	100	700	2,200	1,200	0	1,000
Rabun	3,100	1,400	50	1,650	3,100	1,400	50	1,650
Randolph	11,000	6,000	300	4,700	10,200	5,300	300	4,600
Richmond	3,600	1,500	500	1,600	4,100	1,300	450	2,350
Rockdale	2,600	1,200	300	1,100	2,200	1,100	50	1,050
Schley	5,000	2,200	250	2,550	4,900	2,300	200	2,400
Screven	18,000	8,500	600	8,900	14,000	8,000	600	5,400
Seminole	14,000	7,000	280	6,720	11,500	5,200	300	6,000
Spalding	8,500	3,600	500	4,400	8,000	3,600	450	3,950
Stephens	6,000	2,500	350	3,150	6,600	2,800	400	3,400
Stewart	4,000	1,800	50	2,150	3,400	1,700	30	1,670
Sumter	26,000	10,000	1,600	14,400	22,000	10,500	1,200	10,300
Talbot	6,000	3,000	400	2,600	4,900	2,500	300	2,100
Taliaferro	3,200	1,300	600	1,300	3,400	1,200	700	1,500
Tattnall	15,000	7,200	200	7,600	16,000	7,200	250	8,550
Taylor	6,500	3,400	20	3,080	6,800	3,400	0	3,400
Telfair	9,600	4,500	20	5,080	9,300	4,300	30	4,970
Terrell	6,000	3,300	50	2,650	5,300	2,500	0	2,800
Thomas	19,000	9,000	700	9,300	20,000	9,700	800	9,500
Tift	15,000	7,200	200	7,600	12,000	6,000	200	5,800
Toombs	13,000	5,000	300	7,700	11,500	4,900	350	6,250
Towns	3,500	2,100	100	1,300	3,000	1,800	50	1,150
Treutlen	3,500	1,600	20	1,880	3,000	1,300	0	1,700
Troup	13,000	5,600	1,300	6,100	11,000	5,700	1,300	4,000
Turner	15,000	7,600	250	7,150	12,000	6,000	200	5,800
Twiggs	3,300	1,800	30	1,470	3,300	1,800	0	1,500
Union	6,900	3,400	400	3,100	5,700	3,400	400	1,900

CATTLE—Number on Farms by Counties, Georgia, January 1, 1987–1988

County	1987				1988			
	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves
		Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk			Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk	
Upson	7,000	3,500	450	3,050	7,000	3,600	500	2,900
Walker	19,300	9,000	1,300	9,000	18,400	8,400	1,500	8,500
Walton	15,500	7,000	700	7,800	13,000	5,400	600	7,000
Ware	4,800	2,500	300	2,000	5,000	2,400	300	2,300
Warren	10,000	4,600	1,600	3,800	9,200	4,500	1,400	3,300
Washington	15,000	7,000	800	7,200	12,000	6,000	600	5,400
Wayne	7,000	3,700	550	2,750	5,900	2,800	500	2,600
Webster	3,000	1,500	50	1,450	3,100	1,400	0	1,700
Wheeler	7,400	4,000	50	3,350	6,300	3,200	50	3,050
White	6,700	3,800	300	2,600	6,400	3,700	400	2,300
Whitfield	12,000	6,000	500	5,500	11,000	6,000	450	4,550
Wilcox	12,500	6,600	500	5,400	13,500	6,000	600	6,900
Wilkes	24,000	10,500	2,700	10,800	24,000	10,500	2,600	10,900
Wilkinson	3,100	1,500	0	1,600	3,000	1,700	0	1,300
Worth	24,000	11,000	1,100	11,900	22,000	9,000	1,300	11,700

CATTLE—Number on Farms by Agricultural Statistics Districts and State Totals, Georgia, January 1, 1987–1988

District	1987				1988			
	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves	All Cattle and Calves	Cows & Heifers that have Calved		Other Cattle and Calves
		Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk			Kept for Beef	Kept for Milk	
District 1	130,000	65,000	8,900	56,100	126,000	66,000	8,900	51,100
District 2	180,000	90,000	6,900	83,100	160,000	83,000	7,200	69,800
District 3	147,000	70,000	8,000	69,000	149,000	68,000	8,600	72,400
District 4	198,000	90,000	11,500	96,500	174,000	80,000	12,000	82,000
District 5	260,000	100,000	34,000	126,000	244,000	97,000	34,500	112,500
District 6	155,000	65,000	12,000	78,000	145,000	62,000	12,000	71,000
District 7	250,000	120,000	6,600	123,400	223,000	109,000	6,600	107,400
District 8	245,000	120,000	7,700	117,300	220,000	102,000	7,700	110,300
District 9	85,000	40,000	4,400	40,600	79,000	36,000	4,500	38,500
STATE TOTAL	1,650,000	760,000	100,000	790,000	1,520,000	703,000	102,000	715,000

CATTLE AND CALVES ON GEORGIA FARMS JANUARY 1, 1988

Top 10 Counties

1. Morgan	31,000
2. Colquitt	29,000
3. Mitchell	26,000
4. Franklin	24,000
Putnam	
Wilkes	
7. Carroll	23,000
8. Sumter	22,000
Worth	
10. Bulloch	21,000
Hall	
State Total	1,520,000

25,000 & Over	
15,000-24,999	
10,000-14,999	
5,000-9,999	
Less than 5,000	

HOGS AND PIGS ON GEORGIA FARMS DECEMBER 1, 1987

Top 10 Counties

1. Colquitt	72,000
2. Brooks	50,000
3. Coffee	45,000
4. Grady	37,500
5. Bulloch	37,000
6. Thomas	32,000
7. Laurens	31,000
8. Appling	28,000
Screven	28,000
10. Tattnall	26,500
State Total	1,175,000

30,000 & over	
15,000-29,999	
5,000-14,999	
1,000-4,999	
Less than 1,000	

HOGS AND PIGS—Number on Farms, December 1 and June 1; Value, December 1, Georgia, 1980–1988

Year	On Farms Dec. 1	Value		Number on Farms Dec. 1		On Farms June 1	Number on Farms June 1	
		Average per Head	Total	Breeding	Market		Breeding	Market
	1,000	*Dollars*	*1,000 Dols.*	*1,000 Head*				
1980	2,250	65.50	147,375	350	1,900	2,180	327	1,853
1981	1,520	63.50	96,520	204	1,316	1,650	231	1,419
1982	1,450	89.00	129,050	220	1,230	1,390	215	1,175
1983	1,350	54.50	73,575	195	1,155	1,400	215	1,185
1984	1,200	66.00	79,200	163	1,037	1,320	200	1,120
1985	1,150	63.00	72,450	165	985	1,200	165	1,035
1986	1,100	84.00	92,400	150	950	1,025	145	880
1987	1,175	64.00	75,200	155	1,020	1,100	155	945
1988						1,200	175	1,025

HOGS AND PIGS—Number on Farms and Number by Classes, March 1 and September 1, Georgia, 1980–1988

Year	On Farms March 1	Number on Farms March 1		On Farms Sept. 1	Number on Farms September 1	
		Breeding	Market		Breeding	Market
		1,000 Head				
1980	2,150	327	1,823	2,100	305	1,795
1981	1,900	300	1,600	1,700	250	1,450
1982	1,350	190	1,160	1,400	215	1,185
1983	1,350	200	1,150	1,350	200	1,150
1984	1,250	180	1,070	1,250	180	1,070
1985	1,150	160	990	1,200	165	1,035
1986	1,055	145	910	1,025	145	880
1987	1,100	155	945	1,150	155	995
1988	1,125	160	965			

HOGS AND PIGS—Sows Farrowed and Pigs Saved, Georgia, 1980–1988

Year	Sows Farrowed	Pigs Saved	Sows Farrowed	Pigs Saved	Sows Farrowed	Pigs Saved
			1,000 Head			
	December 1/ through February		March through May		December 1/ through May	
1980	115	817	120	864	235	1,681
1981	100	725	88	634	188	1,359
1982	74	511	76	555	150	1,066
1983	75	518	81	583	156	1,101
1984	66	462	77	554	143	1,016
1985	60	432	70	518	130	950
1986	52	387	56	426	108	813
1987	56	409	60	450	116	859
1988	60	456	67	503	127	959
	June through August		September through November		June through November	
1980	115	794	120	798	235	1,592
1981	88	638	78	554	166	1,192
1982	80	568	78	554	158	1,122
1983	74	525	72	518	146	1,043
1984	72	511	68	483	140	994
1985	66	482	63	460	129	942
1986 2/	52	385	58	444	110	829
1987 2/	60	456	58	447	118	903
1988	3/70		3/68		3/138	

1/ December previous year. 2/ Revised. 3/ Intentions.

HOGS—Production and Income, Georgia, 1980–1987

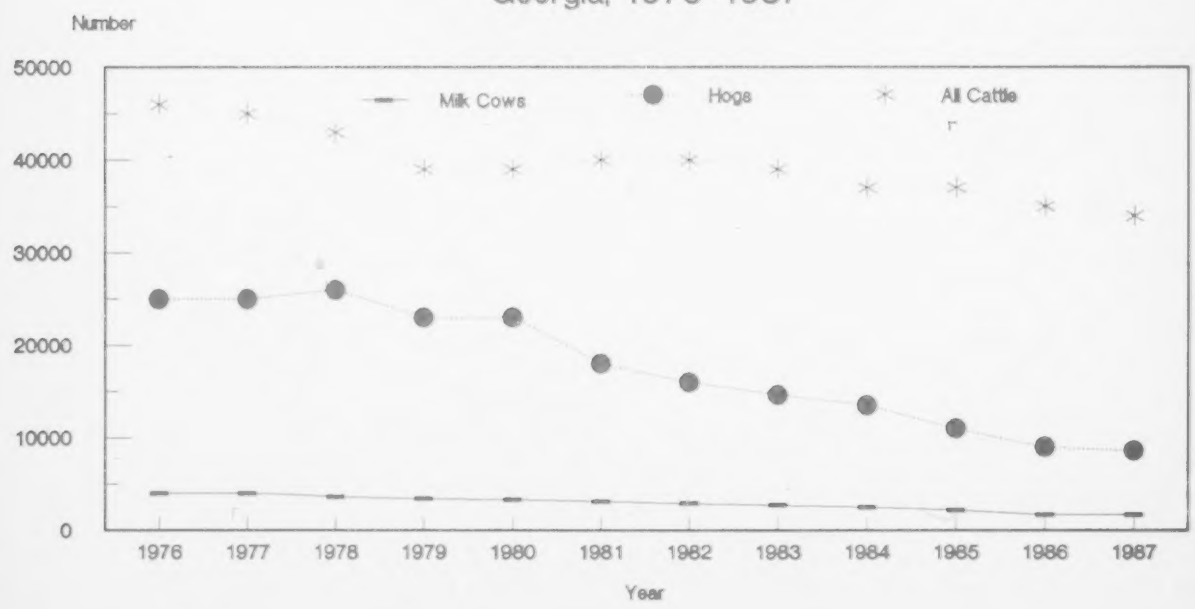
Year	Production 1/	Marketings 2/	Price per 100 Pounds	Cash Receipts 3/	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
	—1,000 Pounds—		Dollars		—1,000 Dollars—	
1980	688,949	673,235	36.10	243,097	9,736	252,833
1981	593,464	675,960	43.10	291,426	8,728	300,154
1982	488,816	488,850	51.90	253,809	7,640	261,449
1983	490,528	498,228	45.90	228,787	5,067	233,854
1984	457,405	474,708	45.80	217,458	3,659	221,117
1985	436,048	439,080	44.70	196,360	2,622	198,982
1986 4/	374,340	383,245	50.50	193,637	2,255	195,892
1987	396,530	388,728	52.30	203,555	1,868	205,423

1/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. 2/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State. 3/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter. Includes allowance for higher average price of state outshipments of feeder pigs. 4/ Revised.

HOGS AND PIGS—Percent of Operations and Percent of Inventory by Size Groups, Georgia, 1980–1987

Year	1–99 Head	100–499 Head	500 + Head	1–99 Head	100–499 Head	500 + Head
			—Percent—			
1980	82.2	14.3	3.5	20.0	40.0	40.0
1981	83.1	13.3	3.6	19.2	39.0	41.8
1982	82.5	14.1	3.4	19.4	36.0	44.6
1983	80.1	15.5	3.4	15.7	38.6	45.7
1984	81.5	14.8	3.7	15.9	34.1	50.0
1985	80.0	16.4	3.6	16.7	33.3	50.0
1986	83.3	12.8	3.9	17.1	29.3	53.6
1987	81.4	13.4	5.2	15.5	24.5	60.0

FARMS - Number with Livestock, Georgia, 1976–1987



ALL HOGS AND PIGS—Number on Farms by Counties, Georgia, December 1, 1986–1987

County	1986	1987	County	1986	1987
Appling	27,000	28,000	Habersham	7,500	7,200
Atkinson	17,000	19,000	Hall	10,000	9,600
Bacon	7,500	7,000	Hancock	800	600
Baker	4,000	3,700	Haralson	1,500	1,800
Baldwin	500	500	Harris	1,800	1,400
Banks	5,300	6,500	Hart	2,000	2,000
Barrow	3,500	4,000	Houston	7,000	6,500
Bartow	20,000	23,500	Irwin	20,000	24,000
Ben Hill	3,600	3,800	Jackson	10,000	13,000
Berrien	13,000	14,000	Jasper	700	1/
Bibb	1,500	1,400	Jeff Davis	13,000	18,000
Bleckley	8,800	9,600	Jefferson	7,200	9,800
Brantley	2,300	2,000	Jenkins	12,000	12,000
Brooks	45,000	50,000	Johnson	8,200	8,400
Bryan	1,200	1,300	Jones	1,600	1,300
Bulloch	36,000	37,000	Lamar	3,200	3,100
Burke	8,000	6,100	Lanier	2,400	2,000
Calhoun	5,400	5,100	Laurens	27,500	31,000
Candler	23,000	22,000	Lee	3,800	3,000
Carroll	4,200	4,100	Lincoln	2,700	2,800
Charlton	500	500	Long	500	600
Chatham	600	600	Lowndes	4,500	5,000
Chattooga	2,500	2,300	Lumpkin	7,200	6,800
Cherokee	13,000	14,000	Macon	2,300	2,400
Clarke	6,300	6,400	Madison	1,900	1,700
Clay	2,000	2,700	Marion	2,700	2,600
Clinch	1,600	1,500	McDuffie	1,600	1,600
Coffee	40,000	45,000	Meriwether	1,200	1,100
Colquitt	55,000	72,000	Miller	7,500	8,100
Cook	8,500	9,000	Mitchell	20,000	20,000
Coweta	800	1,200	Montgomery	7,200	8,400
Crawford	800	800	Morgan	2,000	2,300
Crisp	7,600	7,900	Murray	2,500	5,100
Dawson	700	800	Newton	600	1/
Decatur	15,000	14,000	Oconee	18,000	18,000
DeKalb	1/	500	Oglethorpe	2,100	1,500
Dodge	18,500	19,000	Pierce	11,000	11,000
Dooly	15,000	15,000	Polk	1,000	1,000
Dougherty	3,000	2,700	Pulaski	7,400	7,500
Early	11,000	12,500	Quitman	900	700
Echols	1,800	2,000	Randolph	7,600	5,800
Effingham	7,800	6,700	Richmond	800	700
Elbert	1,800	1,500	Richmond	800	700
Emanuel	17,500	18,500	Schley	6,300	6,700
Evans	5,000	5,000	Screven	26,000	28,000
Fannin	1/	800	Seminole	8,000	7,200
Floyd	3,000	3,000	Spalding	3,000	2,900
Forsyth	2,800	2,700	Stewart	8,800	11,500
Franklin	900	1,000	Sumter	16,000	20,000
Fulton	1,000	900	Talbot	600	700
Gilmer	16,000	15,500	Taliaferro	600	1,500
Glascock	1,000	1,200	Tattnall	28,000	26,500
Gordon	7,500	7,000	Taylor	4,400	4,500
Grady	38,000	37,500	Telfair	17,000	20,500

1/ Counties with less than 500 head not shown separately.

ALL HOGS AND PIGS—Number on Farms by Counties, Georgia, December 1, 1986–1987

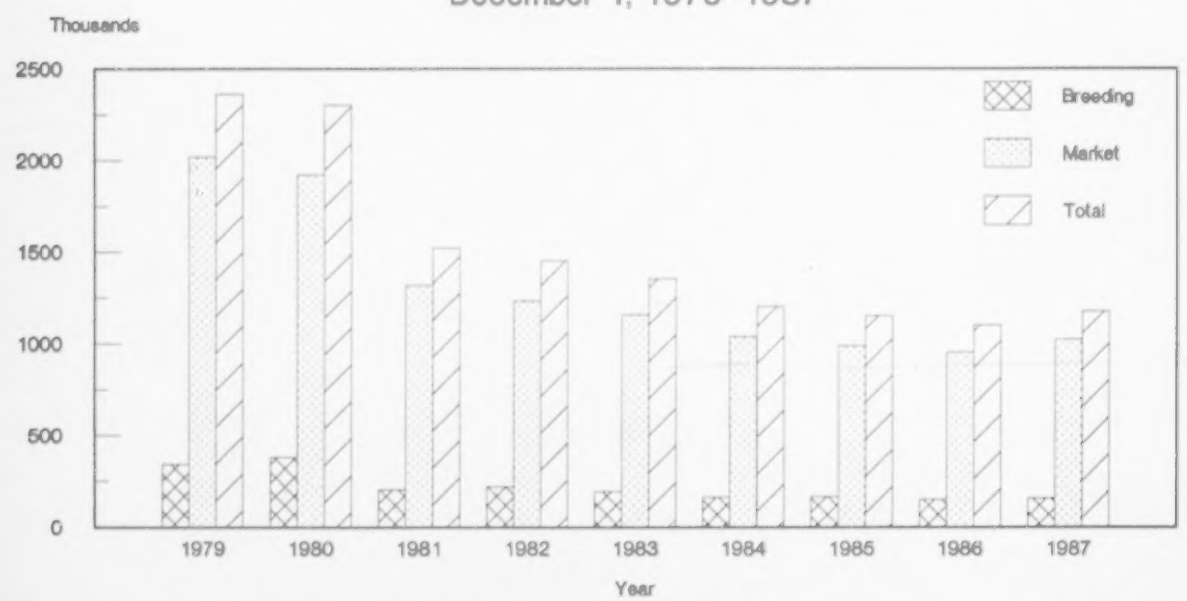
County	1986	1987	County	1986	1987
Terrell	2,000	2,000	Ware	5,200	5,600
Thomas	29,000	32,000	Warren	3,000	2,300
Tift	23,000	26,000	Washington	8,500	6,500
Toombs	16,000	18,000	Wayne	4,500	5,000
Towns	700	800	Webster	2,000	3,500
Treutlen	3,600	3,800	Wheeler	8,500	8,800
Turner	6,000	7,300	White	11,000	11,500
Twiggs	2,500	2,300	Whitfield	1,200	1,500
Union	3,000	2,800	Wilcox	6,000	7,000
Upson	2,700	3,300	Wilkes	13,500	12,500
Walker	3,500	3,200	Wilkinson	2,000	1,900
Walton	1,300	1,300	Worth	20,000	21,000
			Other Counties 1/	5,900	5,400

1/ Counties with less than 500 head not shown separately.

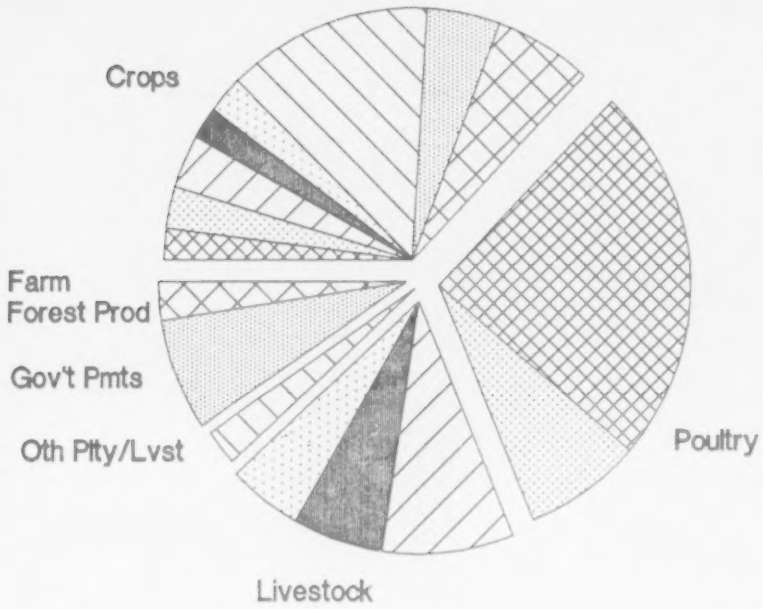
ALL HOGS AND PIGS–Number on Farms by Agricultural Statistics Districts and State Totals, Georgia, December 1, 1986–1987

District	1986	1987	District	1986	1987
District 1	42,000	47,000	District 7	184,000	192,000
District 2	106,000	110,000	District 8	320,000	370,000
District 3	38,000	37,000	District 9	110,000	112,000
District 4	36,000	37,000			
District 5	120,000	124,000			
District 6	144,000	146,000	STATE TOTAL	1,100,000	1,175,000

HOGS AND PIGS - Georgia,
December 1, 1979–1987



FARM CASH RECEIPTS – Distribution, Georgia, 1987



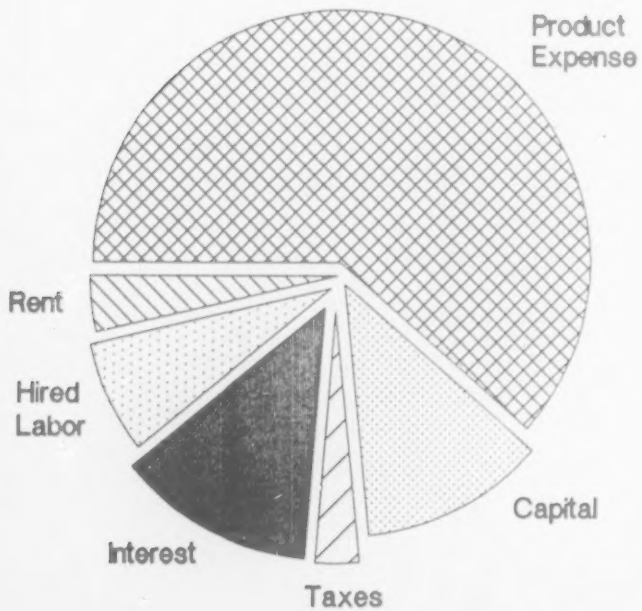
CROPS 36.9 %
- 2.0 % Cotton
- 2.7 % Fruits & Nuts
- 3.4 % Tobacco
- 2.1 % Corn
- 2.4 % Soybeans
- 13.3 % Peanuts
- 4.7 % Truck Crops
- 6.3 % Other Crops

POULTRY 33.0 %
- 24.4 % Broilers
- 7.5 % Eggs

LIVESTOCK 20.4 %
- 8.5 % Cattle/Calves
- 5.9 % Hogs & Pigs
- 4.8 % Dairy Products
- 2.3 % OTH PLTY/LVST

OTHER RECEIPTS 9.7 %
- 7.2 % Gov't Pmts
- 2.5 % Farm Forest Prod

FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES – Georgia, 1987



- 61.4 % Product Expense
- 12.0 % Capital
- 2.8 % Taxes
- 12.9 % Interest
- 7.3 % Hired Labor
- 3.6 % Rent to Landlords

FARM INCOME AND EXPENSES

HIGHLIGHTS–1987

Georgia farmers' cash income for 1987 totaled $3.50 billion. This was slightly above the 1986 cash income but only because of the 111 percent increase in government payments. Receipts from farm marketings fell $108.4 million or 3 percent and other farm income excluding government payments was off $11.3 million or 6 percent.

Georgia farmers' gross farm income for 1987 rose 4 percent to $3.75 billion. Gross farm income includes non-cash income and inventory adjustments. Value of farm inventories rose $14.0 million during 1987 compared to a drop of $100.5 million in 1986. Farm production expenses decreased 1 percent in 1987 to $2.53 billion. Net farm income at $1.22 billion was up 14 percent from 1986, a record high.

1987 CASH RECEIPTS

Georgia farm products sold during 1987 including government payments and farm forest products generated cash receipts of $3.42 billion, slightly more than the $3.40 billion for 1986. Crops accounted for 36.9 percent of the total, down from 38.6 percent in 1986. Poultry accounted for 33.0 percent of the total and livestock and livestock products sales accounted for 20.4 percent.

Crop cash receipts totaled $1.26 billion in 1987, down 4 percent from 1986. Peanut receipts valued at $454 million, accounted for 13.3 percent of the total cash receipts. Soybean receipts, at $80.3 million, dropped 16 percent from 1986. Tobacco cash receipts, at $117 million, were up 9 percent but corn cash receipts declined 15 percent.

Poultry cash receipts in 1987 totaled $1.13 billion, down 11 percent from 1986. Broiler sales at $836 million or 24.5 percent of the total again ranked as the leading commodity for gross sales in Georgia. Eggs ranked in fourth place among all commodities with cash receipts of $255 million, down 3 percent from 1986.

Livestock cash receipts in 1987 totaled $699 million, up 13 percent from 1986. Cattle and calves receipts valued at $292 million, jumped 35 percent from 1986. Hog receipts at $204 million, rose 5 percent from 1986. Dairy product sales at $163 million, were down 6 percent from 1986.

Farm forest products and government payments at $86.3 and $245.2 million, respectively, accounted for 9.7 percent of the total.

1987 FARM PRODUCTION EXPENDITURES

Farm production expenditures totaled $2.53 billion for Georgia in 1987, 1 percent below the $2.56 billion of 1986. The 1987 farm production expenses were the lowest since the record high of $3.27 billion in 1981. Of the 16 expenditure categories, expenses increased in 10 and declined in 6. Items that decreased included feed purchased, at $556 million, down 1 percent; fertilizer and lime at $118 million, down 20 percent; fuel and oil at $88.6 million, down 7 percent; interest at $327 million, down 15 percent; and capital consumption at $303 million, down 8 percent from a year ago.

Feed was the largest expense item for Georgia farmers accounting for 22 percent of the total. In 1986, feed purchases totaled $562 million and 22 percent of the total.

Outlays for livestock and poultry purchased showed the largest increase, up 30 percent from 1986. Electricity, at $35.9 million, was up 23 percent from 1986. Seed purchases were up 1 percent; pesticides up 2 percent; repairs and maintenance up 1 percent; other miscellaneous up 4 percent; cash labor expenses up 8 percent; labor prequisites up 22 percent, net rent to non operator landlords up 27 percent and property taxes up 1 percent.

FARM CASH RECEIPTS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS—Georgia, 1983–1987

Item	1983	1984	1985	1986	1/1987
			Thousand Dollars		
CROPS					
Corn	72,701	138,909	160,911	86,013	73,225
Cotton, Total	64,112	67,215	102,287	53,384	67,132
Cotton Lint	57,708	58,387	96,665	51,271	63,924
Cottonseed	6,404	8,828	5,622	2,113	3,208
Peanuts	372,593	622,080	472,645	475,079	453,600
Soybeans	284,860	279,052	186,999	95,073	80,321
Tobacco	173,974	155,450	139,924	107,522	117,000
Wheat	109,016	95,062	71,539	38,822	31,891
Peaches	22,565	19,885	20,439	19,892	17,758
Pecans	60,887	66,400	56,760	81,800	62,150
Other Fruits and Nuts	6,767	10,587	9,450	11,759	12,590
Truck Crops	138,564	134,517	133,358	160,637	160,058
All Other Crops	150,250	180,943	187,403	181,651	185,109
Total Crops	1,456,289	1,770,100	1,541,715	1,311,632	1,260,834
LIVESTOCK					
Hogs	228,787	217,458	196,360	193,637	203,555
Cattle and Calves	254,410	193,125	224,365	215,341	291,787
Dairy Products	200,100	183,960	181,890	173,750	162,590
Other	35,149	36,034	34,935	38,309	41,343
Total Livestock	718,446	630,577	637,550	621,037	699,275
POULTRY					
Commercial Broilers	676,675	835,462	796,415	951,902	835,729
Other Chickens	15,556	20,314	16,557	12,474	9,979
Turkeys	24,110	34,578	35,119	31,926	22,231
Eggs	278,734	320,951	235,510	263,398	255,132
Other	2,795	6,433	6,497	2,902	3,707
Total Poultry	997,870	1,217,738	1,090,098	1,262,602	1,126,778
Total Crop and Livestock and Poultry Cash Receipts	3,172,605	3,618,415	3,269,363	3,195,271	3,086,887
Farm Forest Products 2/	94,706	99,500	95,512	85,688	86,300
Government Payments	79,479	79,286	71,163	116,107	245,200
Total Cash Receipts	3,346,790	3,797,201	3,436,038	3,397,066	3,418,387

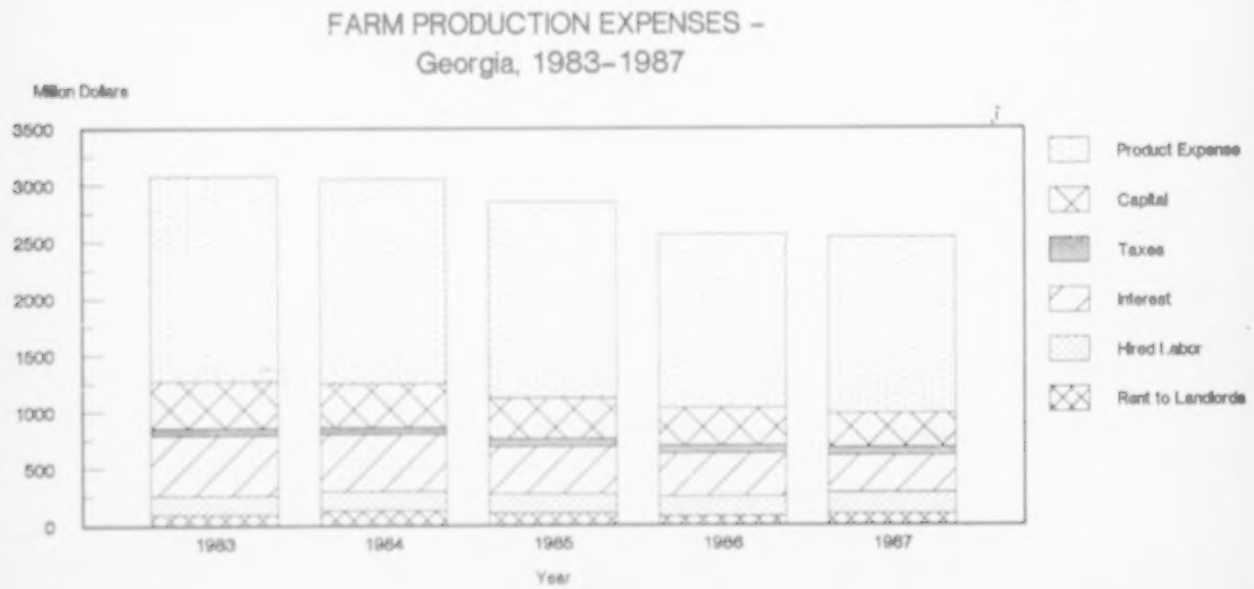
1/ Preliminary. 2/ Includes farm sales only.

FARM CASH RECEIPTS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS - Georgia, 1983-1987

FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES—Georgia, 1983–1987 1/

Item	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
			Million Dollars		
INTERMEDIATE PRODUCT EXPENSES	1,805.1	1,800.0	1,725.2	1,531.2	1,554.3
Farm Origin	922.9	883.5	854.0	774.7	814.4
Feed	733.6	681.7	642.7	562.2	556.1
Livestock	129.6	132.9	144.5	153.0	198.3
Seed	59.7	68.8	66.9	59.6	60.1
Manufactured Inputs	487.3	505.3	488.8	388.4	361.8
Fertilizer and Lime	197.2	206.1	195.1	146.9	117.7
Pesticides	108.2	124.2	130.1	116.8	119.5
Fuel and Oil	149.6	142.5	131.3	95.5	88.6
Electricity	32.2	32.5	32.3	29.2	35.9
Other	394.8	411.3	382.3	368.2	378.1
Repair and Maintenance	116.3	109.9	114.6	119.0	119.8
Other Miscellaneous 2/	278.5	301.4	267.8	249.2	258.2
CAPITAL CONSUMPTION	411.3	388.7	359.1	330.6	303.2
BUSINESS TAXES	69.7	61.3	69.9	71.1	72.0
INTEREST	525.9	504.3	419.3	383.6	326.7
Real Estate	256.6	257.2	229.7	212.3	175.8
Nonreal Estate	269.3	247.1	189.6	171.3	151.0
WAGES TO HIRED LABOR	166.9	166.5	167.9	169.2	184.1
Cash Wages 3/	157.9	156.9	159.3	161.8	175.2
Perquisites	9.1	9.6	8.7	7.4	9.0
NET RENT TO NONOPERATOR LANDLORDS	93.4	126.9	100.3	72.9	92.6
TOTAL PRODUCTION EXPENSES 4/	3,072.4	3,047.7	2,841.7	2,558.5	2,533.0

1/ Some items may not add to totals due to rounding. 2/ Includes expenses for machine hire/customwork, marketing charges, and other miscellaneous expenses. 3/ Includes contract labor and Social Security. 4/ Includes operator household expenses.

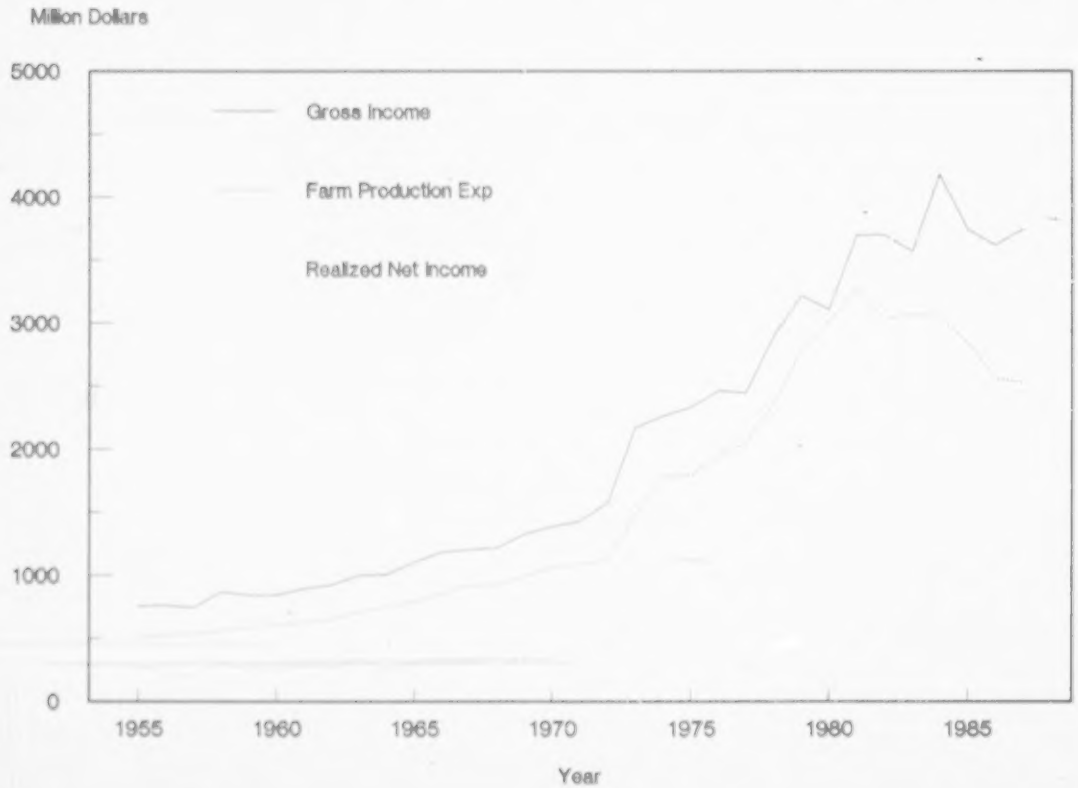


FARM INCOME AND EXPENSES—Georgia, 1983–1987 1/

Item	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
			Million Dollars		
Cash Income	3,413.4	3,880.9	3,535.4	3,492.0	3,501.4
Farm Marketings	3,172.6	3,618.4	3,269.4	3,195.3	3,086.9
Crops	1,456.3	1,770.1	1,541.7	1,311.6	1,260.8
Livestock and Poultry	1,716.3	1,848.3	1,727.6	1,883.6	1,826.1
Government Payments	79.5	79.3	71.2	116.1	245.2
Other Farm Income	161.3	183.2	194.9	180.6	169.3
Machine hire/customwork	7.7	9.1	12.5	8.1	12.5
Other Farm-related Income 2/	153.6	174.1	182.3	172.5	156.8
Non-cash Income 3/	271.4	267.8	242.0	229.2	232.7
Value of Home Consumption	17.9	14.6	11.2	11.3	9.4
Rental Value of Dwellings 3/	253.5	253.2	230.9	217.9	223.2
Operator Dwellings	250.5	250.2	228.2	215.5	220.9
Hired Laborers Dwellings	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.4	2.4
Value of Inventory Adjustment	-117.3	28.8	-35.5	-100.5	14.0
Gross Farm Income 3/	3,567.5	4,177.4	3,741.9	3,620.6	3,748.1
Farm Production Expenses	3,072.4	3,047.7	2,841.7	2,558.5	2,533.0
Net Farm Income	495.1	1,129.7	900.2	1,062.1	1,215.1
			Dollars		
Gross Income per Farm	64,864	81,920	74,838	73,890	78,085
Net Income per Farm	9,002	22,151	18,004	21,676	25,315

1/ Some items may not add to totals due to rounding. 2/ Includes forest product sales, recreational income and other farm business-related income. 3/ Includes operator household income.

FARM INCOME AND EXPENSES - Georgia, 1955–1987



PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS: Marketing Year Average Price, Georgia, 1980–1987

Commodity	Unit	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
					—Dollars—				
Apples, All	Lb.	.123	.093	.108	.086	.084	.112	.160	.113
Corn	Bu.	3.45	2.85	2.59	3.64	2.99	2.39	1.93	2.10
Cotton Lint	Lb.	.782	.563	.559	.672	.587	.543	.583	.624
Cottonseed	Ton	125.00	97.00	66.50	189.00	93.50	57.00	91.00	85.00
Grapes	Ton	-	-	-	534.00	582.00	494.00	792.00	870.00
Hay	Ton	64.50	66.00	60.00	63.50	62.00	60.00	73.00	62.00
Oats	Bu.	1.67	1.84	1.56	1.48	1.70	1.55	1.25	1.65
Peaches, Fresh Mkt.	Lb.	.157	.121	.208	.253	.155	.252	.208	.197
Peaches, All	Lb.	.141	.118	.204	.251	.148	.246	.197	.181
Peanuts	Lb.	.219	.270	.246	.241	.288	.246	.291	.288
Pecans, All	Lb.	.784	.558	.637	.629	.553	.684	.682	.540
Rye	Bu.	2.18	3.19	2.34	2.39	2.55	2.30	1.80	1.80
Sorghum for Grain	Cwt.	5.32	3.87	3.64	5.70	4.50	3.10	2.35	2.45
Soybeans	Bu.	7.63	6.09	5.45	7.59	5.99	4.82	4.75	5.45
Sweetpotatoes	Cwt.	10.30	13.30	7.95	16.40	14.10	9.10	12.70	12.70
Tobacco, Flue Cured	Cwt.	139.5	162.5	179.6	180.3	182.6	171.1	158.1	163.0
Wheat	Bu.	3.66	3.32	3.04	3.23	3.20	2.83	2.48	2.50

MARKETING SEASON FOR SPECIFIED CROPS—Georgia

Crop	Season	Crop	Season
Apples	June 1 to May 31	Peanuts	August 1 to March 1
Corn for Grain	August 1 to July 31	Pecans	September 30 to March 15
Cotton	August 1 to July 31	Sorghum Grain	September 1 to August 31
Cottonseed	August 1 to July 31	Soybeans	September 1 to August 31
Grapes	July 10 to October 31	Sweetpotatoes	August 1 to May 31
Hay	May 1 to April 30	Tobacco	July 1 to November 30
Oats	July 1 to June 30	Wheat	May 1 to April 30
Peaches	May 20 to August 31		

INDEX OF PRICES RECEIVED—Georgia, 1983–1987
(1977 = 100)

Month	All Crops					All Livestock					All Crops and Livestock				
	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
Jan.	124	135	122	119	114	119	156	125	126	130	121	146	123	123	123
Feb.	126	135	121	118	120	124	155	127	124	133	125	146	125	121	127
Mar.	127	136	122	118	120	125	151	126	125	127	126	144	124	122	124
Apr.	130	137	123	119	122	119	150	118	120	130	124	144	120	120	126
May	130	137	121	119	123	122	135	118	122	129	126	136	119	121	126
June	132	137	122	121	125	121	131	123	127	126	126	134	123	124	126
July	133	131	122	117	124	122	134	121	147	126	127	133	121	134	125
Aug.	132	124	116	114	120	129	125	122	158	131	130	124	120	139	126
Sept.	129	132	117	115	125	131	127	124	145	132	135	129	121	132	129
Oct.	139	123	111	115	121	123	119	120	144	121	130	121	116	131	121
Nov.	140	120	112	120	124	132	124	126	137	119	136	122	120	130	121
Dec.	134	122	118	113	121	143	120	122	132	113	139	121	120	124	117

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS—Monthly Prices, Georgia, 1983–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
						——Dollars——						
Corn per Bu.												
1983	2.75	2.94	3.11	3.45	3.51	3.53	3.45	3.57	3.60	3.71	3.74	3.68
1984	3.76	3.68	3.83	3.88	3.88	3.94	3.49	3.09	2.91	2.83	2.97	2.97
1985	3.09	3.00	3.10	3.19	3.07	3.06	2.72	2.35	2.26	2.24	2.52	2.73
1986	2.80	2.77	2.60	2.69	2.73	2.59	2.12	1.95	1.84	1.91	1.84	2.03
1987	1.92	1.86	1.85	1.95	2.02	2.09	1.97	1.79	1.83	1.99	2.17	2.19
Cotton Lint per Lb.												
1983	.517	.552	.582	.590	.584	.665	.614	.645	.645	.657	.691	.678
1984	.652	.666	.666	.685	.727			.590	.585	.645	.615	.615
1985	.545	.535	.540	.540	.530	.560	.585	.525	.550	.560	.540	.515
1986	.542	.530	.552	.557	.574	.585	.527	.524	.430	.496	.513	.529
1987	.558	.507	.524	.559	.599	.654	.688	.597	.643	.648	.639	.639
Cottonseed per Ton												
1983	66.00	70.00								194.00	187.00	
1984	186.00	186.00								99.00	87.00	89.00
1985	92.00	95.00								54.00	58.00	64.00
1986	61.00	69.00								80.00	96.00	99.00
1987	93.00	94.00							81.00	83.00	88.00	92.00
Peanuts per Lb.												
1983	.247								.244	.229	.232	.205
1984									.310	.269	.240	
1985								.210	.223	.209	.201	.256
1986									.269	.300	.287	.277
1987									.295	.283	.295	.263
Soybeans per Bu.												
1983	5.56	5.74	5.90	6.17	5.91	6.03	6.45	7.68	7.82	7.71	7.51	7.60
1984	7.65	7.61	7.63	7.91	8.24	8.00	6.86	6.55	6.58	6.16	6.04	5.65
1985	5.86	5.74	5.90	5.98	5.83	5.78	5.70	5.17	5.09	4.84	4.92	4.57
1986	4.93	4.93	5.05	5.23			5.31	5.11	4.81	4.71	4.75	4.59
1987	4.71	4.88	4.74	5.04	5.22	5.45	5.15	4.92	5.10	5.22	5.26	5.74
Sweetpotatoes per Cwt.												
1983	8.00	8.00	8.50	8.50	8.50		13.00	13.00	13.60	13.60	14.00	17.00
1984	19.20	21.60	22.70	23.50			15.00	14.60	11.00	11.70	14.40	16.70
1985	16.70	18.90	18.60	18.60			14.20	13.80	10.00	9.20	9.60	10.60
1986	8.95	9.20	9.80	9.80			1/					
Wheat per Bu.												
1983					3.15	3.16	3.33	3.69	3.83			
1984					3.24	3.22	3.16	3.22	3.30	3.11	3.15	3.05
1985						2.83	2.82	2.68	2.67	2.74	2.98	2.92
1986	3.17				2.56	2.45	2.42					
1987					2.56	2.46	2.25	2.35				2.82

1/ Monthly price estimates discontinued in July 1986.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS— Monthly and Marketing Year Average Price, Georgia, 1983–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mkt. Yr. Av. 1/
						——Dollars——							
Beef Cattle per Cwt.													
1983	47.20	50.60	52.40	51.60	48.70	47.30	44.20	40.50	39.70	37.40	38.10	39.50	46.00
1984	43.30	48.70	50.90	48.10	45.50	43.00	42.00	42.70	38.80	39.40	37.50	41.80	44.10
1985	44.30	48.30	47.50	47.10	45.30	44.40	40.20	42.40	39.30	39.40	39.20	38.80	43.50
1986	40.70	42.70	44.00	40.30	38.80	38.20	38.40	41.20	42.10	41.50	38.30	39.10	40.60
1987	43.30	52.20	52.30	52.90	51.00	51.60	51.00	50.30	54.20	50.00	51.30	52.50	51.10
Cows per Cwt. 2/													
1983	37.40	39.80	41.20	41.40	41.10	40.70	39.30	35.20	35.60	33.40	32.80	33.50	37.60
1984	34.30	38.90	41.50	41.30	40.50	38.50	37.00	36.10	33.30	34.50	32.90	34.40	36.90
1985	38.80	39.40	40.40	39.10	38.60	37.00	34.50	34.90	34.60	32.80	32.80	33.20	36.60
1986	34.80	36.30	35.90	32.90	32.90	34.60	33.20	35.10	35.70	34.70	34.10	34.40	34.50
1987	38.00	40.30	42.10	43.80	43.30	44.10	43.80	42.20	44.00	42.60	43.10	44.20	42.40
Steers and Heifers per Cwt.													
1983	54.70	57.00	59.10	57.00	54.50	53.00	50.30	47.20	45.90	44.30	46.20	49.70	53.60
1984	53.40	56.40	56.40	52.80	49.90	47.70	49.30	49.80	46.00	47.40	46.60	48.10	51.40
1985	53.40	54.80	54.20	53.70	52.70	50.50	48.00	49.10	45.30	49.00	47.00	45.40	51.00
1986	46.40	50.10	50.40	46.30	46.10	44.70	48.20	50.80	52.00	50.90	48.30	49.90	48.60
1987	53.20	59.70	59.30	61.10	61.20	62.60	62.00	65.10	67.00	61.40	63.70	64.50	61.20
Calves per Cwt.													
1983	55.30	59.10	61.50	59.10	56.90	55.70	52.80	50.40	48.60	47.60	51.30	54.30	54.60
1984	53.10	57.10	54.60	53.30	52.40	49.40	52.00	51.50	46.30	47.90	47.30	48.30	51.20
1985	57.30	59.50	61.50	60.30	59.10	56.80	53.70	54.90	51.50	53.10	54.00	51.30	56.30
1986	52.60	55.90	56.50	51.90	49.80	51.70	54.10	57.20	58.00	54.60	53.90	54.90	54.50
1987	59.10	65.10	67.60	70.20	73.10	73.30	76.90	77.30	78.00	70.90	74.20	75.50	71.70
Hogs per Cwt.													
1983	54.20	55.40	49.50	45.80	45.10	44.20	41.90	45.70	42.50	38.80	37.00	42.60	45.90
1984	47.50	44.00	43.20	45.70	46.20	48.60	51.50	49.00	44.80	41.50	46.10	48.90	45.80
1985	48.50	48.20	44.20	42.20	42.90	46.10	47.40	43.70	40.80	42.60	42.90	44.90	44.70
1986	45.70	43.90	41.20	41.00	46.40	52.90	60.00	60.40	58.80	54.80	53.80	52.40	50.50
1987	49.00	50.20	48.80	53.40	56.30	60.90	57.80	57.00	52.10	47.20	39.50	39.20	52.30
Barrows and Gilts per Cwt.													
1983	55.50	56.10	50.10	46.50	46.30	46.10	43.80	47.40	43.40	39.90	38.10	43.90	47.20
1984	49.00	44.90	43.80	46.60	47.00	50.50	53.00	50.10	45.80	42.40	47.50	49.70	47.00
1985	49.30	48.60	44.40	42.30	43.20	46.90	48.00	44.00	41.20	43.10	43.40	45.60	45.10
1986	46.20	44.30	41.50	41.30	46.90	53.30	60.60	60.90	59.00	55.00	54.10	52.70	51.00
1987	49.30	50.40	49.10	53.70	56.60	61.40	58.50	57.50	52.40	47.50	39.90	39.70	52.60
Sows per Cwt.													
1983	46.10	50.00	45.70	41.90	39.10	34.50	31.30	34.40	36.90	33.60	31.00	33.70	38.60
1984	39.70	38.50	39.40	40.70	40.90	38.10	40.90	41.20	39.50	37.40	38.30	37.90	38.90
1985	38.30	41.50	40.90	39.10	35.80	35.70	35.50	34.40	34.10	34.60	35.60	35.50	37.20
1986	35.00	34.20	33.70	35.40	36.50	41.40	46.20	52.00	52.10	47.40	46.80	43.00	41.10
1987	41.30	41.20	40.90	43.30	45.70	45.20	45.40	48.00	47.40	42.10	33.50	30.40	43.00
All Milk per Cwt.													
1983	14.70	14.70	14.50	14.40	14.20	14.20	14.30	14.50	14.50	14.70	14.80	14.90	14.50
1984	14.90	14.60	14.50	14.20	14.30	14.20	14.10	14.30	14.40	14.90	15.30	15.10	14.60
1985	15.30	15.40	14.80	14.50	14.10	13.70	13.60	13.50	13.10	13.40	13.50	13.50	14.10
1986	13.60	13.70	13.40	13.30	13.90	13.80	13.90	14.00	14.00	14.40	14.60	14.80	13.90
1987	15.00	14.80	14.50	13.90	13.70	13.60	13.80	13.80	14.00	14.40	14.40	14.30	14.20
Milk Cows per Head 3/													
1983	1,060			1,060			1,040			950			1,030
1984	850			850			885			895			870
1985	890			890			870			840			870
1986	840			820			850			835			835
1987	890			910			965			1,020			945

1/ Marketing year is January 1–December 31 for all commodities except Hogs–December 1–November 30. 2/ Cull beef cows and dairy cows sold for slaughter. 3/ Estimated quarterly.

PRICES RECEIVED BY FARMERS— Monthly and Marketing Year Average Price, Georgia, 1983–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mkt. Yr. Av. 1/
							——Dollars——						
Broilers per Lb. 2/													
1983	.245	.260	.240	.235	.255	.270	.295	.305	.305	.280	.325	.340	.270
1984	.365	.360	.360	.325	.325	.320	.325	.290	.295	.270	.290	.275	.320
1985	.290	.290	.275	.260	.285	.300	.285	.280	.280	.265	.300	.270	.280
1986	.285	.275	.275	.275	.310	.345	.420	.425	.340	.370	.330	.285	.325
1987	.290	.275	.270	.265	.280	.250	.250	.295	.255	.230	.235	.220	.265
Chickens Excluding Broilers per Lb.													
1983	.110	.145	.145	.125	.135	.125	.140	.170	.215	.220	.295	.325	.160
1984	.330	.290	.300	.235	.155	.095	.090	.145	.145	.185	.235	.160	.205
1985	.090	.130	.150	.130	.145	.200	.205	.260	.230	.260	.260	.160	.175
1986	.152	.126	.106	.091	.118	.081	.127	.159	.146	.218	.235	.164	.140
1987	.166	.169	.122	.088	.065	.045	.059	.107	.122	.126	.167	.040	.115
All Eggs per Dozen													
1983	.646	.694	.724	.684	.698	.659	.675	.742	.770	.791	.879	1.030	.717
1984	1.130	1.050	.975	1.100	.831	.756	.687	.694	.698	.670	.724	.656	.862
1985	.635	.650	.684	.608	.595	.617	.583	.705	.731	.732	.719	.719	.660
1986	.787	.784	.815	.670	.663	.644	.672	.743	.805	.705	.775	.772	.732
1987	.717	.711	.684	.719	.642	.654	.635	.678	.719	.663	.628	.613	.684
Table Eggs per Dozen													
1983	.490	.608	.627	.560	.571	.569	.556	.632	.666	.693	.817	.926	.608
1984	1.050	.911	.834	.999	.645	.576	.564	.538	.552	.492	.586	.493	.723
1985	.425	.416	.476	.407	.389	.460	.429	.514	.548	.559	.592	.559	.477
1986	.554	.497	.580	.453	.435	.396	.505	.519	.525	.490	.600	.565	.511
1987	.486	.476	.444	.431	.356	.390	.376	.424	.468	.424	.426	.371	.440
Hatching Eggs per Dozen													
1983	1.200	1.000	1.050	1.100	1.100	.960	1.050	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.100	1.400	1.087
1984	1.400	1.500	1.400	1.400	1.350	1.250	1.050	1.200	1.200	1.300	1.200	1.200	1.300
1985	1.300	1.350	1.300	1.150	1.100	1.000	1.000	1.250	1.250	1.250	1.100	1.200	1.200
1986	1.450	1.600	1.450	1.250	1.250	1.250	1.100	1.350	1.600	1.350	1.300	1.400	1.340
1987	1.400	1.400	1.350	1.500	1.400	1.300	1.250	1.300	1.350	1.300	1.200	1.300	1.350
Turkeys per Lb.													
1983													.400
1984													.480
1985													.470
1986													.470
1987													.330

1/ Marketing year is December 1–November 30 for eggs, chickens, and broilers. Turkeys January 1–December 31. 2/ Liveweight equivalent price.

FEED RATIOS—Georgia, 1983–1987

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Broiler-Feed 1/												
1983	2.6	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.6	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.5	3.1	3.2
1984	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.2
1985	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.3	3.2
1986 2/	3.1			3.0			4.4			3.9		
1987 2/	3.3			3.0			2.7			2.4		
Egg-Feed 3/												
1983	7.5	8.5	8.3	7.8	8.0	7.4	6.9	7.4	7.7	7.5	8.2	9.6
1984	10.5	9.8	9.3	10.5	7.4	7.4	6.4	7.1	7.3	7.2	7.9	8.0
1985	7.4	7.2	8.3	6.8	7.3	7.6	7.3	8.9	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.3
1986 2/	8.4			7.5			8.2			8.8		
1987 2/	8.7			8.5			7.1			7.8		
Milk-Feed 4/												
1983	1.62	1.69	1.63	1.57	1.51	1.54	1.54	1.45	1.41	1.40	1.35	1.45
1984	1.39	1.42	1.35	1.35	1.43	1.49	1.51	1.58	1.57	1.70	1.75	1.73
1985	1.61	1.75	1.65	1.76	1.68	1.66	1.74	1.73	1.64	1.61	1.63	1.60
1986 2/	1.55			1.61			1.75			1.70		
1987 2/	1.96			1.65			1.53			1.52		
Hog-Corn 5/												
1983	19.7	18.8	15.9	13.3	12.8	12.5	12.1	12.8	11.8	10.5	9.0	11.6
1984	12.6	12.0	11.3	11.8	11.9	12.3	14.8	15.9	15.4	14.7	15.5	15.8
1985	15.7	16.1	14.3	13.2	14.0	15.1	17.4	18.6	18.1	19.0	17.0	16.4
1986	16.3	15.8	15.8	15.2	17.0	20.4	28.3	31.0	32.0	28.7	29.2	25.8
1987	25.5	27.0	26.4	27.4	27.9	29.1	29.3	31.8	28.5	23.7	18.2	17.9

1/ Number of pounds of broiler grower equal in value to one pound of broiler live weight. 2/ Ratios are 1986–1987 southeast prices paid compared to 1986–1987 Georgia prices received. 3/ Number of pounds of laying feed equal in value to one dozen eggs. 4/ Pounds of 16 percent mixed dairy feed equal in value to one pound of whole milk. 5/ Bushels of corn equal in value to 100 pounds of hog, live weight.

AVERAGE PRICES PAID FOR FEED BY FARMERS—Georgia, 1983–1987

Commodity	Unit	1983	1984	1985	1/1986	2/1987
				—Dollars—		
Chick Starter	Ton	218.00	232.00	189.00	179.00	188.00
Broiler Grower	Ton	202.00	237.00	207.00	181.00	182.00
Turkey Grower	Ton	213.00	245.00	250.00	230.00	196.00
Laying Feed	Ton	190.00	201.00	164.00	164.00	171.00
Dairy Feed, 16% protein	Ton	193.00	193.00	168.00	170.00	173.00
Dairy Feed, 18% protein	Ton	197.00	196.00	169.00	173.00	171.00
Dairy Feed, 20% protein	Ton	201.00	202.00	171.00	180.00	175.00
Dairy Concentrate, 32% protein	Ton	245.00	248.00	186.00	193.00	210.00
Hog Feed, 14-18% protein	Cwt.	11.60	11.70	10.20	10.00	9.89
Hog Concentrate, 38-42% protein	Cwt.	15.60	15.20	12.30	12.80	13.80
Beef Cattle Concentrate, 32-36% protein	Cwt.	12.40	13.20	11.50	11.50	11.70
Bran	Cwt.	11.10	11.40	10.90	10.80	11.30
Middlings	Cwt.	10.00	10.40	10.30	10.20	9.80
Corn Meal	Cwt.	9.20	10.00	8.80	8.50	8.50
Soybean Meal, 44% protein	Cwt.	14.30	13.50	11.30	11.80	13.70
Cottonseed Meal, 41% protein	Cwt.	14.20	15.40	11.60	12.00	13.40
Stock Salt	Cwt.	7.40	7.10	7.20	7.40	7.60

1/ January and February Georgia average price. 2/ Southeast (AL,FL,GA,SC).

AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY FARMERS, Georgia, 1983–1987

Commodity	Unit	1/1983	1/1984	1/1985	2/1986	2/1987
				——Dollars——		
Farm Supplies						
Hand Sprayer, 3-4 gal. cap.	Each	34.10	33.60	32.70	32.20	31.00
Shovels, aluminum scoop	Each	25.30	26.60	26.00	25.00	24.00
Nail Hammers, with handle	Each	12.60	12.40	11.50	12.60	12.30
Grease Gun, hand pressure, 1 lb. capacity	Each	10.40	10.40	10.30	9.85	10.30
Adjustable End Wrench, 10"	Each	10.50	10.70	11.20	11.10	11.30
Chain Saw, gasoline, 20"	Each	350.00	361.00	374.00	370.00	366.00
Baler Twine	40 Lb. Bale	29.20	24.00	20.70	18.80	18.10
Acetylene Welder, Complete Outfit	Each	239.00	249.00	260.00	241.00	239.00
Fencing Materials						
Barb Wire, 12 1/2 gauge						
2 point	80 Rod	33.30	34.20	34.70	35.20	33.70
4 point	spool	39.50	38.80	38.30	37.40	36.30
Field & Stock Fence, 6" spacing, 12 1/2 gauge						
32" high	20 Rod	72.50	72.80	74.10	74.30	71.60
39" high	Roll	82.90	80.80	80.00	84.50	81.60
Fence Charger, Electronic	Each	60.00	59.90	62.50	61.80	63.50
Wood Post, line fence	Each	2.80	2.89	2.84	3.44	3.51
Steel Post, line fence	Each	3.50	3.32	3.22	2.59	2.48
Staples, fence	Lb.	.678	.686	.688	.707	.719

1/ 1983, 1984, 1985 Southeast Region (AL,FL,GA,SC). 2/ 1986, 1987 U.S. only.

AVERAGE PRICE PAID FOR FEEDER PIGS—Georgia, 1983–1987

Year	February	May	August	November
		——Dollars per Cwt.——		
1983	97.00	81.00	60.50	49.00
1984	59.50	66.00	75.50	71.00
1985	78.00	70.00	71.00	77.50
1986	71.50	90.00	102.00	101.00
1987	95.00	102.00	100.00	80.00

AVERAGE PRICE PAID FOR BROILER CHICKS—Straight-Run Broiler Type Chicks, Georgia, 1983–1987

Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
						——Dollars per 100——						
1983	12.00	12.50	12.50	13.00	12.00	11.50	10.50	13.00	11.00	12.00	12.00	13.50
1984	12.00	13.50	12.00	12.00	13.50	14.00	14.00	12.00	12.00	13.50	13.50	12.00
1985	13.50	14.50	14.00	13.50	14.00	14.00	14.00	14.50	14.00	14.00	14.50	14.00
1986	14.00	14.00	14.50	13.00	14.00	12.50	12.50	12.50	14.50	13.00	13.00	12.50
1987	13.50	13.50	12.50	25.00	22.00	19.50	22.00	22.50	19.50	19.50	18.50	13.00

AVERAGE PRICE PAID FOR EGG-TYPE BABY CHICKS—All Egg-Type Pullet Chicks 1/, Georgia, 1983–1987

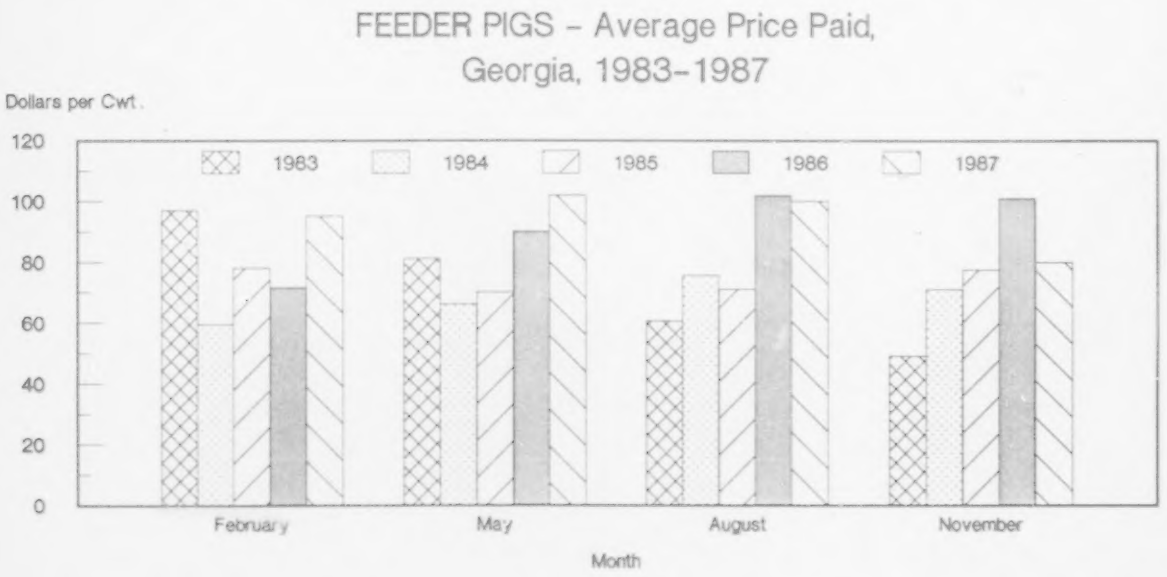
Year	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15
						——Dollars per 100——						
1983	90.00	83.00	90.00	85.00	88.00	77.00	76.00	85.00	78.00	81.00	87.00	80.00
1984	72.00	73.00	62.00	72.00	66.00	71.00	69.00	73.00	81.00	92.00	90.00	91.50
1985	81.00	87.00	76.00	77.00	84.50	85.00	73.00	86.00	70.00	69.00	76.00	77.00
1986	77.00	82.00	78.00	79.00	85.00	86.00	89.00	95.00	84.00	98.00	95.00	88.00
1987	102.00	102.00	86.50	92.50	92.50	89.50	95.50	95.00	99.50	100.00	105.00	107.50

1/ Includes broiler breeder pullet chicks.

AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY FARMERS—Georgia, 1983–1987

Commodity	Unit	1983	1984	1985	1/1986	2/1987
				—Dollars—		
Motor Supplies and Services						
Diesel Fuel	Gal.	.98	.95	.93	.90	.73
Gasoline, unleaded, regular, service station	Gal.	1.24	1.20	1.20	1.17	.95
Gasoline, leaded, regular, bulk delivery	Gal.	1.14	1.08	1.07	.98	.86
L.P. Gas	Gal.	.81	.85	.85	.86	.73
Motor Oil, heavy duty, detergent	Gal.	5.34	4.80	5.23	4.69	4.58
Grease, 14 1/2 oz. cartridge	Each	1.21	1.15	1.20	1.15	1.16
Chassis Lubrication	Each	3.53	3.50	3.93	4.65	5.15
Motor Tune-up, labor only	Each	21.25	23.00	24.75	26.90	29.00
Brake Relining, material and labor	Each	84.00	90.00	96.00	101.00	105.00
Tires, auto, bias belted, E78-14, tubeless	Each	43.90	41.10	41.50	42.50	41.40
Tires, auto, radial, P195/75R, ER78-14,	Each	60.30	56.00	52.80	56.20	54.10
Tires, truck, 10.00-20 load range F 3/	Each	158.00	149.00	188.00	206.00	199.00
Tires, Tractor, rear, 18.4-38, 6 ply 4/	Each	344.00	334.00	358.00	406.00	395.00
Batteries, CPR 220-310 AMP	Each	47.90	50.00	49.00	47.20	48.20
Batteries, CPR 315-500 AMP	Each	59.50	61.00	60.00	58.30	58.50
Spark Plugs	Each	1.50	1.50	1.68	1.73	1.78
Oil Filters, cartridge refill	Each	4.00	3.80	3.88	3.90	4.01
Oil Filters, spin-on	Each	5.00	4.75	5.05	4.64	4.59
Antifreeze, permanent	Gal.	4.70	4.50	4.53	4.10	4.04
Seeds						
Cottonseed	Cwt.	50.00	65.00	59.00	46.60	48.10
Wheat	Bu.	8.50	7.70	7.60	5.94	5.56
Hybrid Corn	Bu.	53.00	69.00	-	65.60	64.90
Soybeans	Bu.	10.50	13.50	11.50	10.80	11.30

1/ Diesel fuel, gasoline, LP gas, Georgia prices. Other prices are for U.S. 2/ Southeast (AL,FL,GA,SC). 3/ Prior to 1985, 9.00-20 , 10-ply. 4/ Prior to April 1985, 18.4-34, 6-ply.



AVERAGE PRICES PAID BY FARMERS—Southeast Farm Production Region, 1983–1987 1/

Commodity	Unit	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
				—Dollars—		
Building Materials						
Concrete Blocks, 8x8x16	100	73.30	76.80	79.30	94.70	96.70
Cement, Portland	94 Lbs.	5.40	5.69	5.84	6.25	6.30
Framing Lumber, 2"x4", pine standard & better	1,000 Bd. Ft.	347.00	346.00	332.00	350.00	372.00
Insulating Sheathing, 1/2"	4'x8' Sheet	4.33	4.46	4.69	5.39	5.42
Plywood, Interior, C-D-X 1/2"	4'x8' Sheet	9.15	8.76	8.48	9.65	9.58
Rough Boards, for farm fences & construction, standard & better	1,000 Bd. Ft.	367.00	362.00	363.00	489.00	501.00
Dressed Boards, No. 2 & Better	1,000 Bd. Ft.	387.00	408.00	427.00	653.00	682.00
Roofing, galvanized steel, 28-29 gauge	100 Sq. Ft.	39.60	39.20	38.90	41.23	41.40
Roofing, shingles, asphalt, 3 in 1, mineral surface	240 Lbs. Square	26.40	25.80	25.00	25.33	23.60
Paint, house exterior	Gal.	15.70	15.70	15.20	16.08	15.67
Nails, 8d common	Lb.	.620	.599	.604	.644	.653
Farm Machinery						
Corn Planters, with fertilizer attachment, 4-row	Each	5,170.00	5,640.00	6,130.00	8,620.00	8,930.00
Cotton Pickers, self-propelled, 2 row	Each	74,800.00	77,600.00	69,500.00	71,900.00	74,700.00
Combine, self-propelled, medium capacity	Each	54,500.00	55,600.00	54,900.00	62,900.00	65,300.00
Combine, self-propelled, large capacity	Each	78,200.00	80,900.00	76,900.00	82,900.00	86,400.00
Cultivators, row crops, 4-row	Each	2,290.00	2,200.00	2,260.00	2,520.00	2,510.00
Cultivators, row crops, 6-row	Each	3,140.00	3,110.00	3,210.00	3,260.00	3,410.00
Disk Harrows, tandem, 16' width	Each	7,020.00	6,970.00	7,050.00	7,760.00	7,595.00
Disk Harrows, tandem, 19' width	Each	8,800.00	8,700.00	9,500.00	10,000.00	9,825.00
Moldboard Plows, tractor draw or mounted, one-way,						
3 bottoms	Each	1,690.00	1,660.00	1,580.00	2,600.00	2,630.00
5 bottoms	Each	3,260.00	3,250.00	2,920.00	6,720.00	6,685.00
Mowers, tractor drawn, 7'	Each	2,100.00	2,310.00	2,320.00	2,540.00	2,670.00
Pick-up Balers, P.T.O. 2/	Each	6,710.00	7,590.00	7,870.00	9,490.00	9,960.00
Tractors, wheel,						
50-59 h.p.	Each	16,500.00	16,600.00	15,800.00	16,600.00	16,700.00
110-129 h.p.	Each	36,500.00	39,300.00	39,200.00	38,600.00	39,000.00
170-240 h.p.	Each	77,100.00	79,300.00	78,300.00	75,900.00	75,700.00
Wagons, farm, w/o box, less tires, 8-10 ton	Each	804.00	858.00	890.00	1,050.00	1,130.00
Wagons, farm, gravity unload, less tires, 200-400 bu. cap.	Each	1,600.00	1,740.00	1,670.00	2,130.00	2,330.00

1/ Southeast Region (AL,FL,GA,SC) 1983, 1984, 1985. U.S. 1986, 1987. 2/ Conventional size bales, under 200 lbs.

FERTILIZER—Average Prices Paid by Farmers, Southeast Fertilizer Region, 1983–1987 1/

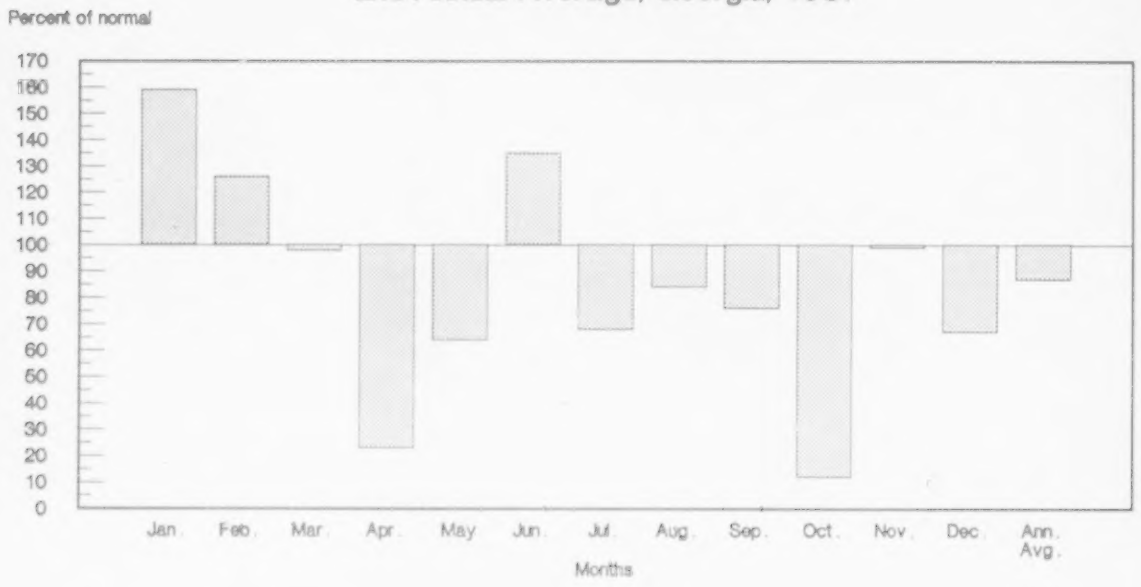
Commodity	Unit	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
				—Dollars—		
Mixed Fertilizer						
0-10-20	Ton	134.00	140.00	-	-	-
3-9-9	Ton	168.00	178.00	173.00	166.00	156.00
3-9-18	Ton	140.00	144.00	139.00	130.00	135.00
4-8-12	Ton	166.00	173.00	165.00	165.00	158.00
5-10-15	Ton	142.00	147.00	145.00	136.00	138.00
6-6-6	Ton	114.00	126.00	131.00	140.00	147.00
10-10-10	Ton	155.00	164.00	155.00	145.00	145.00
10-20-20	Ton	202.00	214.00	192.00	179.00	183.00
Ammonium Nitrate, 33.5%N	Ton	194.00	208.00	196.00	180.00	173.00
Nitrate of Soda	Ton	192.00	195.00	198.00	197.00	203.00
Anhydrous Ammonia	Ton	260.00	284.00	280.00	-	-
30% Nitrogen Solution	Ton	139.00	143.00	135.00	117.00	111.00
32% Nitrogen Solution	Ton	153.00	145.00	138.00	126.00	107.00
Superphosphate, 44-46% P205	Ton	199.00	216.00	192.00	-	-
Agricultural Limestone 2/	Ton	24.70	24.70	24.30	23.30	24.00

1/ Southeast Region (FL,GA,NC,SC,VA). 2/ Spread on field

AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS—Average Prices Paid by Farmers, United States, 1983–1987

Commodity	Unit	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
				—Dollars—		
Carbaryl, wettable powder, 80%	10 Lbs.	29.00	29.80	30.70	31.30	31.20
Malathion, 5 lbs./gal., emul. concentrate	5 Gal.	92.90	88.70	86.30	88.90	91.80
Methyl Parathion, 4 lbs./gal., emul. concentrate	5 Gal.	53.20	57.80	57.80	60.10	69.10
Captan, 50% wettable powder	Lb.	1.84	1.78	1.79	1.78	1.81
Atrazine, wettable powder, 80%	5 Lbs.	9.90	8.82	8.16	8.58	8.78
Alachlor, 4 lbs./gal., emul. concentrate	5 Gal.	98.80	103.50	103.00	102.00	96.80
Trifluralin, 4 lbs./gal., emul. concentrate	5 Gal.	155.00	138.00	128.50	125.00	126.00
2-4-D, 4 lbs./gal., emul. concentrate	5 Gal.	53.50	48.90	47.50	45.20	48.70
Butylate, 6.7 lbs./gal., emul. concentrate	5 Gal.	111.00	114.00	105.00	104.00	102.00

PRECIPITATION – Percent of Normal by Month and Annual Average, Georgia, 1987



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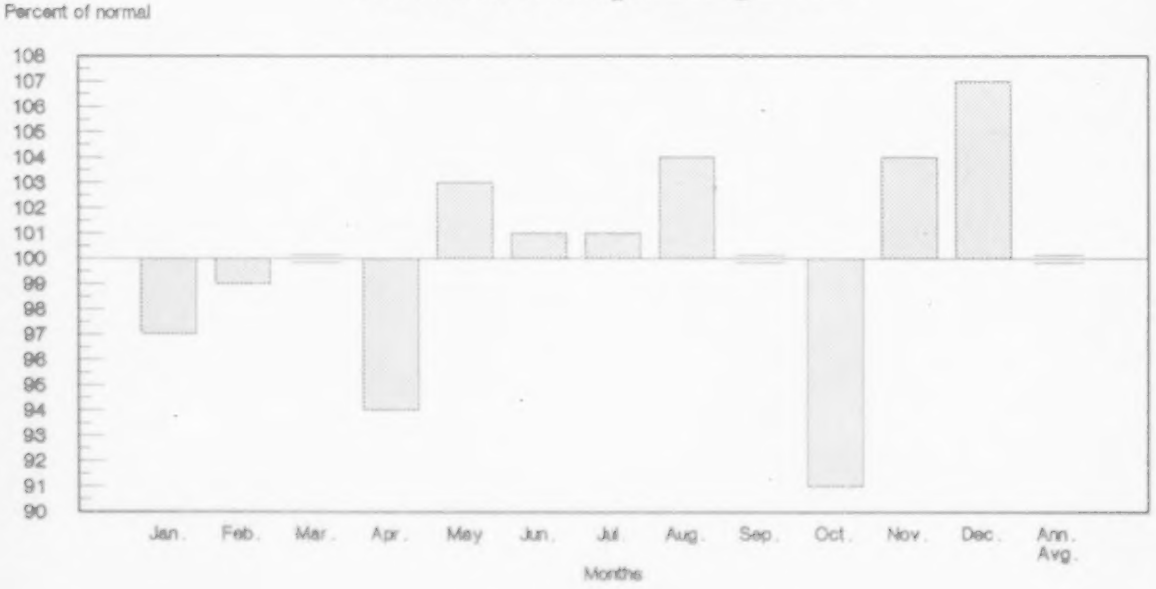

GENERAL

WEATHER AND CROP HIGHLIGHTS-1987

The 1987 climatological season began with cool, wet weather. Soggy soils hampered many field activities during most of January. Peaches began blooming by the end of February, after an adequate number of chill hours was reached. Temperatures and rainfall for March were about normal which delayed planting of early row crops. April was a relatively dry month with cooler than normal temperatures. Some fruit, vegetable and field crops suffered cold damage. Field activities increased in May and temperatures averaged two to three degrees above normal. By month's end, planting progress of most crops had caught up to normal. Dry weather during the first half of June stressed crops, but was ideal for small grain harvest. Finally, relief came during the last half of the month with ample rain which boosted monthly totals above normal. Hot, dry weather prevailed during July. One hundred degree temperatures were common for many locations. Pastures declined and management of heat-stressed poultry and livestock became a major concern to operators. August was an instant replay of July as rainfall totals remained below normal. Cool seasonable temperatures returned during September and October. September weather conditions were favorable for harvest of corn, apples, and peanuts. Scattered showers increased soil moisture levels at mid-month. October brought freezing temperatures on thirteen to fifteen days in the mountains. Very little rain was recorded for the month. Feeding hay began earlier than normal due to lack of pasture growth. Temperatures warmed to above normal in November and December. November soil moisture supplies progressed to its highest level in two months. Some improvement in pastures was shown. Tight shucks in pecans frustrated farmers during December.

JANUARY

Georgia received a sufficient amount of rain during the month of January. The State averaged 7.39 inches of precipitation. This was 2.74 inches above normal. Six to ten inches of rain fell over most of the State with totals surpassing ten inches over the central and south. Snow fell several times over the north. The heaviest snow occurred on the 21st and 22nd of January over the northern third of the State, where totals of four to eight inches were common. The average temperature for the month was 44.1 degrees, 1.4 degrees below normal. The coldest temperatures varied from the teens in the north, to the upper 20s in the southeast. A low of seven degrees was reported in Blairsville on the 27th. Warmest temperatures ranged from the mid 60s north to the mid 70s south. The rain and wet soils hindered land preparation, cotton, and soybean harvest in some areas at the beginning of the month. By month's end, cotton and soybean harvest was complete, small grain seeding was nearing completion and soil moisture supplies were surplus. Tobacco plants were in good condition. Cattle condition was mostly fair and hogs were in good condition.

FEBRUARY

February got off to a wet start. Rain fell on ten to fourteen days during the month with totals of three to four inches in the north and four to six inches central and south. Precipitation for the month averaged 5.70 inches, 1.17 inches above normal. The average temperature for Georgia in February was 47.3 degrees. Temperatures fluctuated from below normal in the north to above normal in the south. Temperatures ranged from the teens in the mountains to the mid and upper 20s in the central and south. High temperatures for the month were in the upper 60s in the northeast mountains to the mid 70s in the central and south. The cooler than normal temperatures permitted most peach varieties to reach their needed dormancy requirements, and retarded the bloom progress of several low chilling varieties. Chill hours through February varied from 1300 and 1500 over northern Georgia to 500 to 700 over the extreme south and southeast portions of the State. By month's end peaches had started to bloom in the southern regions of the State.

MARCH

The average temperature for March was just about normal at 55 degrees, it missed the average by 0.1 degree. High temperatures for the month averaged from the mid 70s in the northern half of the State to the low 80s across central and south Georgia. Lows were in the 20s at the end of the month. Most locations received ten to twelve days of rain. Totals were four to six inches in the north and five to eight inches in the central and south. Precipitation for March averaged 5.44 inches. Soil moisture supplies throughout the month ranged from adequate to mostly surplus. Most field activities were continually delayed week after week due to the wet, soggy soil conditions. By the end of the month, the progress of most early planted row crops was behind normal. Peaches blooming, however, were ahead of both the previous year and the average.

APRIL

Dry weather was prevalent across Georgia during April. The State's average precipitation was only 0.95 inches, 3.25 inches below normal. Rainfall in the southern two-thirds of the State amounted to less than one inch. The greatest totals were in the mountains with amounts of two to three inches. Since January 1, total

rainfall remained above normal in most localities except over the northern third of the State where totals were several inches below normal. By the end of the month, soil moisture supplies had dropped to the lowest level of the season. Parched top soils delayed planting of vegetables and row crops in some areas. Farmers resorted to irrigation in the drier regions to replenish top soils in order to resume planting. Temperatures for the month averaged slightly cooler than normal at 60.0 degrees. This was 3.6 degrees below normal. Both record low and record high temperatures occurred during the month. The lowest readings were in the teens in the north, upper 20s in the central regions, and low 30s in the far south. High temperatures reached the 80s in the mountains and upper 80s to low 90s elsewhere. The cold weather damaged some fruit, vegetable, and field crops forcing some area farmers to replant watermelons, cantaloups, tobacco, and corn. Despite cool temperatures at the beginning and the drop in soil moisture at the end of the month, crop planting progress reached 1986's and the average.

MAY

During May, most reporting stations had rain on seven to ten days with rainfall totals between two and four inches. These totals were one to two inches below normal except in the southwest where totals were one to four inches above normal. Temperatures for the month averaged one to four degrees above normal throughout much of the State. Highs ranged from the mid to upper 80s in the northeast mountains to the mid 90s in the far south. Lows averaged in the 40s in the mountains to the 50s elsewhere.

Soil moisture levels at the beginning of the month for much of the State were mostly short. By mid month moisture had improved to mostly adequate because of scattered showers over many areas. This allowed land preparation and planting to resume. By month's end all of the corn crop had been planted and wheat headed. Peanuts, small grains, apples, pastures, and livestock were in mostly good condition. Peach and wheat harvest progress lagged behind both 1986 and the average. Temperatures averaged 72.7 degrees, 2 degrees above normal. Georgia's precipitation averaged 2.79 inches, 1.55 inches below normal.

JUNE

June was a wet month. Rain was reported on ten to fifteen days with the majority falling the last half of the month. Totals of four to six inches were typical with local totals of eight to ten inches over the south. Precipitation for the month averaged 5.83 inches, 1.51 inches above normal. Temperatures averaged near normal for the month at 77.5 degrees, .8 degree above normal. Highs ranged from the upper 80s in the mountains to the middle 90s in other locations. Lows ranged from the mid 40s in the mountains to nearly 60 degrees in the far south.

During the second week of June, soil moisture supplies dwindled to the lowest level of the 1987 season at 54 percent short and 43 percent very short. The dry soils slowed planting and weed control in some areas. Many crops were reported under stress but the dry weather was beneficial for hay and small grain harvest. Ample rains the last half of the month brought relief to many areas across the State. Soil moisture supplies were boosted to 62 percent adequate and 35 percent surplus. Crops and pastures received favorable condition ratings which were in sharp contrast to the same period a year earlier when crop conditions were extremely low due to the 1986 drought. Main activities included harvest of peaches, watermelons, and tobacco as weather permitted. Also late season row crops were planted between showers. The excessive rainfall caused quality decline in some vegetable crops in south Georgia and also increased problems with weeds, insects, and plant diseases in row crops.

JULY

July was relatively a hot, dry month for much of the State. Local rainfall totals were two to three inches with five to eight inches over the southeast. Precipitation averaged 3.64 inches, 1.70 inches below normal. Temperatures of 100 degrees or more were common for many locations. The highest reading was 103 degrees at Waycross. At mid month, a cold front passed through the State resulting in temperatures as low as 49 degrees in Blairsville. Soil moisture supplies were mostly adequate at the beginning of the month. By month's end, soil moisture levels had declined to mostly short. The dry soils and high temperatures attributed to the weaker condition ratings of crops. Soybeans and pastures showed the sharpest decline. Hot weather management of poultry and livestock became a major concern to operators. Tobacco harvest progress was seven points below average and corn harvest was off to a slow start. At month's end, peach harvest was nearing completion and apple harvest progress was well below the previous year and the average. Irrigation was very active where available.

AUGUST

Temperatures in August averaged 2.8 degrees above normal, as it was a hot, dry month. Readings of 90 degrees or above were reported on ten to fifteen days in the mountains and 25 to 30 days in other locations. Coolest temperatures were in the 60s with some 50s in the mountains. Although rain totals of three to six inches were reported in a few central and southern counties, it was generally a dry month. Brunswick was an exception, as they received ten inches of rain during the month. Precipitation for August averaged 3.72 inches, .71 inch below normal. Soil moisture supplies during the month were mostly short. By mid month, crop condition ratings showed considerable variability. Improvements were shown for a few crops such as tobacco and sorghum while others declined or remained close to the previous week's low ratings. At the end of August, pastures and hay showed the most noticeable decline in condition ratings. The lack of rain

was underscored by an average of 6.2 days suitable for work. Activities included pest management; harvest of corn, tobacco, apples and hay; also care of heat-stressed livestock and poultry.

SEPTEMBER

The State had dry weather during September but temperatures were about normal. Rainfall amounts were highly variable but still remained below normal. Most locations reported less than three inches of rain with the exception of east Georgia where five to eleven inches occurred. Rainfall averaged 3.17 inches, .98 inch below normal. Statewide temperatures for the month averaged 74.1 degrees, 0.2 degree below normal. Most locations reported high temperatures in the 90s with lows in the 50s. Extremes ranged from 97 at Jesup to 38 at Blairsville. Weather conditions were ideal for harvesting of corn, apples, and peanuts. Scattered showers helped boost mid month soil moisture supplies, but at the end of the month soil moisture once again dipped to low levels. Cotton harvest made exceptionally good progress as it was 6 points above the previous year and the average by the end of the month. Pastures and late row crops were in dire need of rain across much of the State. Insect and disease pressure was also reported in some fields. Cattle and hogs were in mostly good condition.

OCTOBER

Temperatures for October averaged five to eight degrees cooler than normal. Freezing temperatures occurred on thirteen to fifteen days in the mountains but only three to seven days in other northern locations. The warmest temperatures were in the 80s in the north to mid and upper 80s in central and south Georgia. Low temperatures ranged from 20s in the mountains to 30 in the central areas and mid 30s in the south. Very little rain was recorded during the month. Many locations reported only one day of rain with the exception of one to three days in extreme north and southern counties. Totals were less than one-half inch in the north, under one-tenth inch in the central and southwest, and less than a quarter inch in the east and southeast. The rain deficit since the first of the year was ten to seventeen inches in the northern half of the State and two to six inches elsewhere. There were only a few areas with above normal rainfall of one to six inches in the extreme southern and extreme eastern counties. Rainfall averaged a meager .30 inch, 2.30 inches below normal. Temperatures for October averaged 5.6 degrees below normal at a cool 58.2 degrees.

The lack of rain during October allowed farmers to make excellent progress with harvesting of row crops, particularly cotton, sorghum, and peanuts. Soybean, apple, corn and pecan harvest was also at a normal pace. Small grain seedbed preparation and planting slowed statewide due to the very dry soils and were suspended altogether in some areas. Pasture and hay conditions continually declined week after week. Hay feeding began earlier than normal due to the lack of pasture growth. At month's end, risk of fire was a concern throughout much of the State.

NOVEMBER

November was slightly warmer than usual and also received near normal rainfall during the month. High temperatures reached the low to mid 80s at most locations. Low readings in the 20s were widespread with mid to upper teens reported in the north. There were twelve mornings of freezing temperatures in the mountains. The State's average temperature was 56.7 degrees, 2.4 degrees above normal. Rain totals were near three inches, about one inch more than normal. Lesser amounts fell over the north. During the first three weeks of the month severe drought conditions prevailed over much of the State. Dry soils continued to delay seedings of small grains and pastures. Farmers in many areas fed hay and silage that was intended for winter feeding. Cattle were sold off due to the shortage of feed. There were reports of wells going dry as well as a number of brush and woods fires. The rain arrived at the end of the month, to the relief of many farmers. There was some improvement in pasture condition but the lateness of the rain plus the cool temperatures limited the recovery. Due to the short pastures, hay supplies continued to be utilized. Soil moisture supplies were boosted to their highest level in two months. Farmers resumed small grain planting and moved ahead with pasture reseeding. Harvest of pecans was behind average due to problems with tight shucks.

DECEMBER

Temperatures averaged three to five degrees above normal but rainfall continued below normal in December. Maximum temperatures reached the low 70s in the north and upper 70s throughout the rest of the State. Lows were in the mid teens in the mountains and mid 20s elsewhere. Stations reported five to ten days of rain with totals of one to two inches common except in the extreme north. Light rain fell over the northeastern part of the State and brought limited relief during the first week of December. It was not sufficient to allow farmers to finish planting wheat and other small grains. Harvest of late fall crops neared completion. Tight shucks continued to frustrate pecan growers. Fall grazing was limited in some areas and supplemental feeding of cattle continued. Temperatures in December averaged 50.8 degrees, 3.4 degrees above normal. Rainfall was just the opposite with an average of 2.79 inches, a 1.40 inch deficit.

GEORGIA PRECIPITATION—1987 Monthly Averages and Percent of Normal by Climatological Divisions and State Statistical Districts 1/

Month	North West District 1		North Central District 2		North East District 3		West Central District 4		Central District 5	
	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal
January	5.85	113	6.35	116	6.70	117	5.83	118	7.75	171
February	5.14	111	5.50	113	5.32	105	6.88	141	5.47	119
March	4.42	67	4.86	74	6.22	92	4.57	74	5.82	109
April	1.29	25	1.75	36	2.28	47	0.65	14	0.59	16
May	2.48	58	2.98	64	3.05	62	3.49	82	1.98	48
June	4.58	120	4.40	108	5.52	122	7.88	194	5.93	154
July	3.09	66	3.49	69	3.10	61	4.21	80	3.29	66
August	2.61	74	2.35	59	3.67	86	3.99	106	2.90	73
September	1.95	46	3.21	81	2.89	67	3.14	87	2.59	72
October	0.67	23	0.57	18	0.39	11	0.41	16	0.13	6
November	2.31	61	3.38	87	3.56	92	3.00	93	3.18	124
December	4.20	88	4.23	88	4.28	88	3.54	75	2.07	53
Annual Average	38.59	72	43.07	78	46.98	82	47.59	91	41.70	88

Month	East Central District 6		South West District 7		South Central District 8		South East District 9		State Average	
	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal	Inches	% of Normal
January	8.20	203	7.92	171	9.16	226	8.74	265	7.39	159
February	4.94	118	5.80	123	6.02	139	6.24	178	5.70	126
March	5.89	121	6.79	129	5.41	118	4.96	122	5.44	98
April	0.66	20	0.38	9	0.46	12	0.51	17	0.95	23
May	1.79	43	4.41	107	3.25	78	1.67	39	2.79	64
June	5.93	147	6.40	138	6.45	142	5.40	102	5.83	135
July	2.76	58	4.02	70	3.60	62	5.22	78	3.64	68
August	3.37	76	3.11	71	6.04	117	5.46	87	3.72	84
September	3.73	95	2.01	48	3.41	85	5.56	101	3.17	76
October	0.23	10	0.03	1	0.01	0	0.27	11	0.30	12
November	2.28	99	3.27	115	3.30	144	2.34	114	2.96	99
December	1.50	43	1.92	46	1.95	52	1.38	45	2.79	67
Annual Average	41.28	90	46.06	90	49.06	101	47.75	96	44.68	87

1/ Average precipitation and normal precipitation from monthly NOAA Climatological Data for Georgia, 1987, Volume 91, Numbers 1-12.

GEORGIA TEMPERATURES—1987 Monthly Averages and Percent of Normal by Climatological Divisions and State Statistical Districts 1/

Month	North West District 1		North Central District 2		North East District 3		West Central District 4		Central District 5	
	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal
January	39.0	97	39.7	98	40.5	98	43.1	97	44.4	97
February	43.4	100	43.6	101	44.0	100	47.2	99	47.4	98
March	51.5	101	51.0	101	51.5	101	54.4	99	55.4	100
April	56.8	94	56.9	95	57.1	95	60.0	95	60.4	94
May	71.6	105	70.7	105	70.5	104	71.8	102	73.5	103
June	75.8	101	75.3	102	75.1	102	76.7	100	78.4	101
July	79.4	102	78.8	103	78.7	102	79.7	101	81.3	101
August	80.1	103	79.6	104	79.6	104	81.6	104	82.8	104
September	71.5	99	71.0	100	70.8	100	73.5	100	75.0	100
October	54.3	90	55.3	92	55.6	92	57.6	91	58.7	91
November	52.7	105	53.2	106	52.4	103	55.6	104	57.1	105
December	46.8	109	45.9	107	45.9	106	50.8	109	51.1	107
Annual Average	60.2	101	60.1	101	60.1	101	62.7	100	63.8	100

Month	East Central District 6		South West District 7		South Central District 8		South East District 9		State Average	
	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal	Degrees	% of Normal
January	45.4	97	47.4	96	48.1	97	49.4	97	44.1	97
February	48.0	97	50.3	97	50.8	98	51.0	97	47.3	99
March	55.8	99	57.9	98	58.5	99	58.6	99	55.0	100
April	61.3	94	62.4	94	62.6	94	62.7	94	60.0	94
May	73.3	102	74.7	102	74.5	102	73.6	100	72.7	103
June	79.1	102	78.7	100	79.1	101	79.5	101	77.5	101
July	81.7	101	81.7	101	81.9	101	82.1	101	80.6	101
August	83.1	104	83.2	103	82.9	103	83.3	103	81.8	104
September	75.1	100	76.4	99	76.6	100	77.1	100	74.1	100
October	58.9	91	61.0	91	60.8	91	61.6	91	58.2	91
November	58.3	105	59.8	104	60.5	105	60.6	103	56.7	104
December	51.4	106	55.0	107	54.6	107	55.6	106	50.8	107
Annual Average	64.3	100	65.7	99	65.9	100	66.3	99	63.2	100

1/ Average temperatures and normal temperatures from monthly NOAA Climatological Data for Georgia 1987, Volume 91, Numbers 1-12.

GEORGIA'S RANK IN U.S. AGRICULTURE—Five Leading States for Selected Items, 1987

Item	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Ga. Rank	Ga. % of U.S.
Apples, Utilized Production	Wash.	Mich.	N.Y.	Calif.	Va.	24	.4
Beef Cows, Jan. 1, 1988	Tex.	Mo.	Okla.	Nebr.	Kans.	18	2.1
Broilers Produced	Ark.	GA.	Ala.	N.C.	Miss.	2	14.7
Broilers, Value of Production	Ark.	GA.	Ala.	N.C.	Miss.	2	13.5
Calves Born	Tex.	Mo.	Wis.	Okla.	Calif.	22	1.8
Cash Receipts from Cattle and Calves	Tex.	Nebr.	Kan.	Colo.	Iowa.	31	.9
Hogs and Pigs	Iowa	Ill.	Minn.	Ind.	Nebr.	13	2.0
Cattle and Calves, All, Jan. 1, 1988	Tex.	Kans.	Nebr.	Okla.	Calif., Iowa	24	1.5
Cattle Slaughtered	Kans.	Tex.	Nebr.	Iowa	Colo.	22	.6
Chickens, Value of Sales	N.C.	Ark.	GA.	Pa.	Ind.	3	8.8
Corn Produced for Grain	Iowa	Ill.	Nebr.	Minn.	Ind.	19	.7
Corn Silage Produced	Wis.	N.Y.	Pa.	Calif.	Minn.	34	.5
Cotton Production, Upland	Tex.	Calif.	Miss.	La.	Ark.	10	2.3
Eggs Produced	Calif.	Ind.	Pa.	GA.	Ohio	4	6.4
Eggs, Value of Production	Calif.	GA.	Ind.	Ark.	Tex.	2	8.0
Farms	Tex.	Mo.	Iowa	Ky.	Tenn.	19	2.2
Hay Produced, All	Calif.	Wis.	Tex.	Minn.	S.Dak.	34	.9
Hogs and Pigs, All, Dec. 1, 1987	Iowa	Ill.	Ind.	Minn.	Nebr.	13	2.2
Hogs Slaughtered	Iowa	Ill.	Minn.	Va.	Mich.	17	2.0
Milk Cows, Jan. 1, 1988	Wis.	Calif.	N.Y.	Minn.	Pa.	26	1.0
Milk Produced	Wis.	Calif.	N.Y.	Minn.	Pa.	29	.8
Milk, Value of Production	Wis.	Calif.	N.Y.	Pa.	Minn.	26	.9
Oats, Planted	Iowa	Ill.,Minn.	S. Dak.	Wis.	Tex.	24	.3
Oats, Produced	S. Dak.	Minn.	Wis.	N.Dak.	Iowa	27	.4
Peaches, Utilized, Freestone Production	Calif.	S.C.	GA.	Pa.	N.J.	3	7.0
Peanuts Produced	GA.	Ala.	Tex.	N.C.	Va.	1	43.5
Peanuts, Yield per Acre	N.Mex.,Va.	N.C.	Fla.	GA.	S.C.	4	-
Pecans, Utilized Production	GA.	Tex.	Ala.,N.Mex.	La.	Miss.,Okla.	1	43.9
Pigs Born 1/	Iowa	Ill.	Minn.	Ind.	Nebr.	13	2.0
Rye Planted	GA.	Nebr. Va.	N.Dak.,Okla.	N.C.,S.Dak.	Tex.	1	15.2
Rye Produced	N. Dak.	S.Dak.	GA.	Minn.	Nebr.	3	7.8
Sorghum for Grain	Kans.	Tex.	Nebr.	Mo.	Ark.	14	.3
Sorghum, Silage Produced	Kans.	Nebr.	GA.	S.Dak.	Colo.	3	8.5
Soybeans Produced	Iowa	Ill.	Minn.	Ind.	Mo.	18	.8
Sweetpotatoes Produced	N.C.	La.	Calif.	GA.	Ala.	4	6.5
Tobacco Produced, All	N.C.	Ky.	S.C.	Tenn.	Va.	6	6.1
Tomatoes Produced, Fresh Market	Fla.	Calif.	S.C.	Tenn.	Pa.	11	1.0
Wheat Planted, All	Kan.	N.Dak.	Okla.	Tex.	Mont.	20	.8
Wheat Produced, All	Kans.	N.Dak.	Mont.	Okla.	Wash.	23	.7

1/ December–November.

EXPORT VALUES OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES 1/—Georgia, 1980–1987

Commodity	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987
				Million Dollars				
Wheat & Products	18.8	78.6	154.3	120.7	75.0	50.2	44.6	22.5
Soybeans & Products	222.7	105.7	168.2	225.3	193.8	113.2	98.9	43.8
Peanuts & Products	125.7	57.2	98.0	86.4	99.4	116.0	109.3	95.2
Cotton & Linters	31.5	17.4	22.0	33.5	34.7	42.6	19.1	29.2
Cottonseed & Products	2.8	1.5	2.3	2.4	1.5	3.0	2.7	1.0
Tobacco, Unmanufactured	109.4	104.9	113.1	113.9	125.1	111.8	91.6	84.8
Fruits & Preparations		.8	.9	.9	.8	.6	.7	.6
Tree Nuts	6.1	5.8	3.3	6.6	2.0	2.2	1.5	2.6
Live Animals & Meat Excluding Poultry	15.3	11.2	10.5	9.4	8.7	7.7	8.5	11.0
Hides & Skins	6.4	3.8	4.2	4.4	6.0	6.5	7.4	9.1
Poultry & Products	58.2	92.3	68.0	50.8	48.8	47.0	52.6	72.9
Fats, Oils & Greases	9.4	3.9	3.6	3.1	3.6	3.3	2.7	2.5
Dairy Products	.1							
Other	4.9	10.2	12.1	14.3	12.5	12.4	13.8	11.7
Total	611.3	493.3	660.6	671.7	611.7	516.5	453.4	386.9

1/ Source: ERS, USDA, FATUS. Fiscal year Oct.-Sept. Export shares by State are estimated from various data bases, primarily from the volume of production by State.

U.S. PER CAPITA CONSUMPTION OF POULTRY, EGGS, AND RED MEATS, 1980–1987

Year	Eggs	Poultry, ready-to-cook Weights				Red Meats, Carcass Weight Equivalent			
		Chicken							
		Commercial Broilers	Total	Turkey	Total	Beef and Veal	Pork Excluding Lard	Lamb and Mutton	Total
	Number				*Pounds*				
1980	271	46.7	49.7	10.5	60.2	105.0	73.2	1.5	179.7
1981	264	48.2	51.3	10.7	62.0	106.1	69.9	1.6	177.6
1982	264	49.6	52.7	10.8	63.4	105.7	62.5	1.7	169.9
1983	260	50.4	53.4	11.2	64.6	107.7	65.7	1.6	175.0
1984	259	52.6	55.2	11.3	66.5	107.6	65.3	1.7	174.6
1985	253	55.1	57.6	12.1	69.7	108.7	65.8	1.6	176.1
1986	250	56.3	58.7	13.3	72.0	109.6	62.1	1.6	173.3
1987 1/	250	60.3	62.9	15.3	78.2	105.6	63.0	1.5	170.1

1/ Preliminary.

FARMS—Number, Size and Value, Georgia, 1962–1988

Year	Number of all Farms 1/	Number of Farms 2/			Total Land in Farms	Average Farm Size	Value per Acre 3/
		Cattle	Hogs	Dairy			
	Thousands				*1,000 Acres*	*Acres*	*Dollars*
1962	98				20,500	209	115
1963	92				19,800	215	115
1964	88				19,200	218	128
1965	86	63	41.0	22.0	18,900	220	142
1966	84	60	39.0	20.0	18,700	223	155
1967	82	56	37.0	16.0	18,400	224	171
1968	80	52	35.0	13.0	17,900	224	185
1969	78	51	32.0	11.0	17,600	226	214
1970	77	50	32.0	9.0	17,400	226	234
1971	76	49	31.0	8.0	17,200	226	255
1972	76	48	29.0	7.0	17,200	226	290
1973	74	48	26.0	6.0	17,000	230	329
1974	73	47	26.0	5.0	17,000	233	424
1975	60	46	24.0	5.0	15,000	250	474
1976	60	46	25.0	4.0	15,000	250	507
1977	59	45	25.0	4.0	15,000	254	581
1978	59	43	26.0	3.6	15,000	254	685
1979	59	39	23.0	3.4	15,000	254	777
1980	59	39	23.0	3.3	15,000	254	896
1981	60	40	18.0	3.1	14,500	242	971
1982	57	40	16.0	2.9	14,000	246	926
1983	55	39	14.6	2.7	13,700	249	929
1984	51	37	13.5	2.5	13,500	265	910
1985	50	36	11.0	2.2	13,500	270	865
1986	49	35	9.0	1.7	13,300	271	822
1987	48	34	8.6	1.7	13,000	271	846
1988	49				13,000	265	865

1/ Prior to 1975, defined as places of 10 acres or more that had annual sales of agricultural products of $50 or more and places of less than 10 acres that had annual sales of $250 or more. Beginning with 1975, a farm is a place as of June 1, that sells or could sell $1,000 of agricultural products during the year. 2/ Not available prior to 1965. 3/ As of March 1, 1962–1975; changed to February 1, 1976–1981; April 1, 1982–1985, February 1, 1986–1988. Average value includes land and buildings.

FARM REAL ESTATE—Values, Cash Rent, Georgia, 1976–1988

Year	Farm Real Estate Values			Average Cash Rent	
	Total Value 1/	Value of Farm Buildings	Average Value per Farm 1/	Per Acre Cropland	Per Acre Pasture
	Million Dollars		*Dollars*	*Dollars*	
1976	7,606	1,392	126,800		
1977	8,708	1,541	147,600	32.90	16.50
1978	10,279	1,768	174,200	30.60	17.80
1979	11,888	1,973	201,500	36.10	19.00
1980	13,440	2,164	227,800	35.00	19.80
1981	14,080	2,244	234,600	35.20	20.00
1982	12,964	2,046	227,400	33.10	19.60
1983	12,727	1,988	231,400	34.90	19.80
1984	12,291	1,901	241,400	32.68	21.00
1985	11,678	1,788	233,550	30.30	21.00
1986	10,929	1,657	223,046	27.80	19.40
1987	11,003	1,651	229,234	26.20	19.20
1988	11,241	1,670	234,185	30.70	20.80

1/ Total value of land and buildings.

FERTILIZER—Commercial Consumption of Fertilizer Mixtures and Direct Application Materials Selected Years Ending June 30, Georgia

Kind	1980	1985	1986	1987	1988
			Tons		
Mixtures 1/	1,240,932	954,003	775,160	672,365	739,879
Nitrogen Materials					
Anhydrous Ammonia	27,240	17,243	18,488	11,537	9,522
Ammonium Nitrate	146,521	97,548	89,823	89,175	85,913
Ammonium Sulfate	4,888	6,992	5,934	3,809	5,255
Ammonium Thiosulfate	-	1,880	1,697	1,222	5,146
Nitrogen Solution	405,029	410,408	333,978	303,013	279,833
Urea	2,788	8,001	12,290	7,207	10,871
Other Nitrogen Material	3,972	18,682	20,256	20,829	25,886
Total	594,612	560,757	482,830	436,793	422,425
Phosphate Materials					
Ammonium Phosphate	30,415	37,840	35,606	29,002	31,535
Basic Slag	-	2,558	3,168	4,610	4,069
Superphosphates	11,803	4,047	2,246	1,926	1,583
Triplesuperphosphate	-	5,278	5,325	5,735	5,888
Other Phosphate Material	24,276	3,033	3,723	601	3,630
Total	66,494	52,756	50,068	41,875	46,705
Potash Materials					
Muriate of Potash	27,477	28,341	29,218	23,758	27,195
Sulfate of Potash	-	10,015	9,936	4,101	5,532
Potassium Sodium Nitrate	-	4,955	2,145	2,670	3,733
Other Potash Material	31,950	9,720	8,854	6,011	8,042
Total	59,427	53,032	50,153	36,539	44,501
Organic Material	7,254	10,919	10,267	9,863	11,337
Secondary and Micronutrient	202,536	191,842	135,676	159,476	192,494
Primary Nutrients 2/					
Nitrogen	272,386	249,187	218,780	190,832	190,146
Phosphates	145,331	117,803	98,544	84,613	94,447
Potash	234,214	189,065	157,953	132,237	146,157
Total All Fertilizers	2,169,091	1,823,229	1,504,153	1,356,911	1,457,341

1/ Excludes liming materials. 2/ Includes in materials and mixtures above.

FARM LABOR—Number of Workers and Hours Worked, Southeast Region 1/, Survey Weeks of 1985–1988

Year and Survey Week	Number of Workers 2/				Weekly Hours Worked		
	Self-employed	Unpaid Family 3/	All Hired	Total	Self-employed	Unpaid Family	All Hired
	——1,000 Persons——				*——Hours per Week——*		
SOUTHEAST:							
1985							
April 7-13	59	17	44	120	34.7	35.1	33.3
July 7-13	63	22	99	184	41.3	34.8	34.2
October 6-12	55	19	55	129	38.0	31.9	33.6
1986							
April 6-12	61	16	46	123	35.8	34.1	36.9
July 6-12	51	14	54	119	39.8	37.5	35.6
October 12-18	48	14	39	101	38.5	32.7	37.9
1987							
April 12-18	53	17	41	111	37.0	31.5	35.4
July 12-18	47	16	73	136	39.7	35.9	28.3
October 11-17	54	15	42	111	34.1	31.7	33.2
1988							
April 10-16	51	9	40	100	33.5	30.6	32.1
July 10-16	57	19	73	149	36.4	36.6	29.7

WAGE RATES FOR HIRED WORKERS—1985–1988 2/

Year and Survey Week	All Hired	Field	Live-stock	Super-visory	Other 4/	Hourly	Piece Rate	All Other
				——Dollars per Hour——				
SOUTHEAST:								
1985								
April 7-13	3.51	3.18	3.85	5.76	3.39	3.58	5/	3.38
July 7-13	3.48	3.29	3.74	6.02	3.45	3.43	3.47	3.57
October 6-12	3.68	3.37	3.86	5.33	3.72	3.54	5/	3.77
1986								
April 6-12	3.68	3.30	4.10	6.39	3.48	3.71	5/	3.77
July 6-12	3.89	3.62	4.26	5.94	3.71	3.92	3.53	4.10
October 12-18	4.05	3.64	4.16	5/	3.99	4.13	5/	3.97
1987								
April 12-18	4.13	3.73	4.36	6.68	4.62	3.98	5/	4.19
July 12-18	4.03	3.63	4.43	7.06	4.86	3.93	4.46	4.39
October 11-17	4.01	3.73	4.10	6.81	5.28	4.02	5/	3.99
1988								
April 10-16	4.23	3.90	4.31	6.66	5/	4.32	5/	4.13
July 10-16	4.24	3.90	4.56	6.27	5/	4.39	3.95	4.13

1/ The Southeast includes GA, AL, and SC. 2/ Excludes agricultural service workers. 3/ Family members who worked 15 hours or more. 4/ Classification includes bookkeepers, pilots, etc. 5/ Insufficient data, included in all hired wage rates.

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	A = Planted Acreage; P = Acreage, Yield and Production; I = Intended Acreage; X = Month Released											
Corn			I				A					
for grain	P							P	P	P	P	
for silage	P											
Wheat	A,P				P	P	P	P				
Rye	A,P						A					
Rye Stocks						X						
Oats	P		I				A	P				
Sorghum			I				A					
for grain	P							P				
for silage	P											
Grain Stocks	X		X			X			X			
Soybeans	P		I				A	P	P	P	P	
Hay	P		I				A	P		P		
Hay Stocks	X				X							
Peanuts	P		I	P[1/]			A	P	P	P	P	
Cotton	P		I		P[1/]		A	P	P	P	P	P
Cottonseed	X				X[1/]							
Tobacco	P		I		P[1/]		P	P	P	P	P	
Sweetpotatoes	P		I			P[1/]	A					
Apple Production	X						X[1/] X					
Peach Production	X					X	X[1/] X	X				
Pecan Production	X						X[1/]		X	X		X
Tomatoes						X						X
Cattle Inventory & Calf Crop		X										
Cattle on Feed		X										
Hog Inventory & Pig Crop	X		X			X			X			
Livestock Slaughter	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Meat Animal Production & Income				X								
Milk Production	X			X			X			X		
Manufactured Dairy Products	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Mink							X					
Cold Storage Stocks	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Egg Production	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Poultry Monthly Summary	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Poultry Slaughter	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Turkeys	X			X[1/]				X				
Poultry Production & Income				X								
Bees and Honey	X											
Prices Received	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Prices Paid	X			X			X			X		
Farm Employment and Wage Rates					X			X			X	
Farm Numbers								X				
Farm Cash Receipts & Income									X			
WEEKLY WEATHER AND CROPS			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
WEEKLY BROILER REPORT	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
GEORGIA POULTRY FACTS						X						
GEORGIA AGRICULTURAL FACTS										X		

1/ Previous year's crop.

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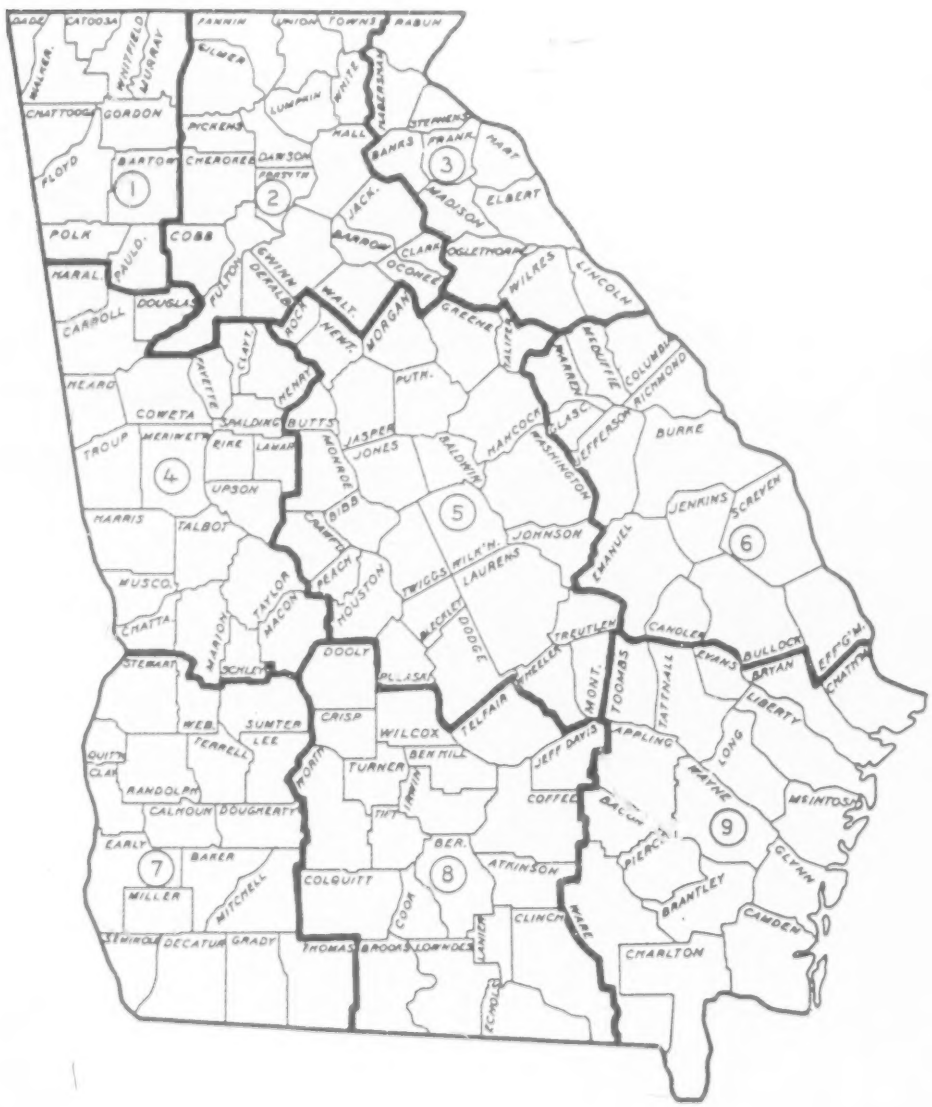
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